WEATHER
Fair tonight and Sunday; slightly colder tonight; moderate westerly winds. Details on Page 17.
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Sun rises 7:09; sets 4:14.
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Today

A Papal Flying Field

Russia's Slave Labor

Safe From Volcanoes

Mr. Shaw, He Scorns Us

— By Arthur Brisbane —

MANY THINGS have been done by the Popes important to human beings everywhere. They have encouraged the arts, and the world owes to them its greatest pictures, statues, buildings. They established Europe's first universities and sent missionaries exploring and civilizing among Indians of our Great Lakes and the Chinese in Asia.

The present Pope now appears as a friend and promoter of aviation, and in a most important direction.

Within the limited Vatican City territory allotted to the papacy, by Mussolini, there is not room for a full-sized aviation field. The Pope, therefore, will encourage development of the helicopter, that rises and lands perpendicularly, and will have a small helicopter airport.

This is important to scientific aviation and will enable the Pope at any time to leave Papal territory for any destination without entering upon territory that may become hostile.

The League of Nations labor bureau gives information about labor conditions in Russia. All jobs are obtained through government agencies. Any workman can quit by giving seven days' notice.

But if he does quit, he is called an industrial "deserter" and for six months after he quits, although he may be a highly skilled man, the government gives him nothing to do but manual labor. Then he is reinstated.

This is Russia's much talked of "slave labor." It certainly is not "free labor," as the western world understands it.

However, Russia considers industrial success a matter of life and death, as western nations consider military success a matter of life and death.

In a military crisis we sent three million men to Europe without asking their permission, and if one deserted the punishment was something worse than a job at manual labor. It was DEATH.

Russia considers industrial triumph as important as military triumph.

Russian labor conditions horrify us, because they are new. We take it for granted that a boy of 18, tired, exhausted by a long march and going to sleep on sentry duty should be put to death. It's all a matter of custom.

We should be humbly thankful for a country free from volcanic activities.

It is difficult to imagine the horror of a recent eruption in Java that killed 15 natives at work in the fields. Imagine a stream of red hot lava, 600 feet wide, 70 feet high, rolling down upon you, filling valley, covering villages.

Or imagine the sight that met the eyes of terrified villagers, the volcanic peak covered with a heavy black cloud, intense flashes of lightning shooting through it.

The lava flow changed fertile fields to desert. Do you wonder that nature frightened men in the early days, causing them to invent tormenting devils, and strange gods indifferent to their welfare.

George Bernard Shaw says Americans like to be ridiculed. "I am careful never to say a civil word to them, and they adore me," says he.

Mr. Shaw does not thoroughly understand the American character. If he went to the monkey house in any American zoological garden, he would see back of the bars little creatures with whiskers not unlike his own.

American on their side of the bars would be amused by the Simian grimaces and comic gnashing of teeth.

It is difficult for one who goes through life in a perpetual state of narcissus adoration to understand Americans, largely engaged in real work.

What will our best minds say of the latest utterances by Senator Borah? He wants the United States to lend money to Russia to help her industrial development and promote trade with the United States.

Senator Borah says that in Russia "the greatest undeveloped market in the world awaits us, if we are bold enough to seize it."

But, he doesn't expect the government to be bold enough to defy the financial "best minds" that at present control it.

In New York, where this is written, in early editions of afternoon newspapers, you read about these things:

A dead body of a man, taken for a ride, is found in a deserted automobile. No longer news.

A woman, respectable, swears that she was arrested and a magistrate, included in a blackmailing gang, refused to listen

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LATE NEWS

Race Result at Havana

—Race Scratches on Page 16—

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WOOLEN MAN LEAVES SISTER IN BOSTON

Morristown, N. J., Dec. 20 (AP)—Grinnell Willis, 83, retired New York woolen manufacturer and donor of the Morristown Free Public Library, died today at his home. Mr. Willis, a Harvard graduate, retired 15 years ago from management of the Willis Woolen Co. of New York. Surviving are his widow, two daughters, and a sister, Mrs. L. L. Grinnell of Boston.

SLEMP SAILS TO HEAD EXPOSITION

New York, Dec. 20 (AP)—C. Bascom Slemp, former secretary to President Coolidge, sailed on the Minnewaska today for Europe to take up his duties as commissioner-general of the International Colonial and Overseas Exposition to be held in the suburbs of Paris from May 1 to Oct. 30.

DIEKEME, U. S. MINISTER TO HOLLAND, DIES

The Hague, Dec. 20 (AP)—Gerrit John Diekema, U. S. minister to the Netherlands, died today after an operation performed last Thursday.

Two Girls Sought in Gas Station Murder

Concord, N. H., Dec. 20—George Wollums, 60, was shot and clubbed to death in a struggle shortly after midnight today in his filling station on the Daniel Webster highway on the outskirts of this city.

High-pitched screams like those of a woman awakened Wollums' son, and two girls and a man were seen nearby by a neighbor. Police of New Hampshire and Vermont are seeking a light sedan with Vermont license plates in which the three were riding.

An automatic pistol of .32 calibre and seven exploded shells were found beside the body. The chest had been pierced by two bullets, while the head was so badly battered that police could not tell whether a shot had entered it.

Nearly $2000 was found in Wollums' hip pocket and $8 in the cash drawer. It is believed the motive was robbery, the slayers being frightened away without getting the money.

TERRIFIC DEATH STRUGGLE.

Facing a revolver, he apparently had given battle with the handle of a gasoline pump. His own gun was found hanging on a hook behind the counter of the small office in which the murder was committed. The furniture was smashed and the whole place bloodstained.

Joseph Wollums, 17, the son, upon hearing the screams, looked out his bedroom window and saw the windows of the office broken and the lights on. He dressed and ran out to find the door locked by the snap-lock.

He looked through a window and saw his father's body beside the door. Reaching through the broken pane he opened the door and saw the results of the death struggle. He told police he believed the crime was committed by persons who knew his father and knew he carried a large sum of money.

SAW TWO IN CAR

A light snow had fallen and automobile tracks showed that a car had arrived at the station from the direction of Manchester, had circled around the pumps and gone away again toward Manchester.

Anthony Scripps, who has a filling station nearby, told Police Capt. Edward Silva he saw a Vermont sedan with a man and two girls parked nearby.

Hoover Boosts 7 Navy Captains to Admirals

Washington, Dec. 20 (AP)—President Hoover today approved the promotion of seven naval captains to the rank of Rear Admiral. They were William Carleton Watts, stationed at Philadelphia; Yancey Sullivan Williams, Washington, D. C.; Claude Charles Bloch, Washington, D. C.; Joseph Knefler Taussig, Norfolk, in command of the battleship Maryland; Edward Clifford Colbrun, State College, Pa., with the battle fleet in the Pacific; Clark Howell Woodward, Atlanta, aide to the governor of the Panama Canal and John Wills Greenslade, Washington, D. C.

Reds Are Balked in Rush on Closed Bank

New York, Dec. 20 (AP)—Several men and women described by police as Communist agitators led a group of depositors in a rush today upon a Bronx branch of United States, which was closed and taken over recently by the State Banking Department. Fifty policemen stemmed the mob after 15 minutes of turmoil, during which two women and four men were arrested.

McFadden Tells of Reparation Plot

Washington, Dec. 20 (AP)—Chairman McFadden, of the House Banking Committee, in a House speech today charged international financiers had attempted to sell in the United States worthless securities to cover reparations due under the unjust treaty of Versailles."

Postoffice Leases Attacked by Blaine

Washington, Dec. 20 (AP)—A charge that postoffice leases constitute an annual "raid on the Treasury" of from $10,000,000 to $15,000,000 was made today in the Senate by Chairman Blaine of the Senate committee investigating such leases.

EXTRA SESSION ON COURT FADES

Washington, Dec. 20 (AP)—President Hoover was said at the White House today to have no intention of calling an extra session of the Senate to consider the World Court.

The only thing that would cause him to call an extra session of Congress, it was said, would be failure of some of the important appropriation bills.

PONZI LOSES IN U. S. JOB BILL FIGHT ON MORAL TURPITUDE

Mrs. Tillinghast Says Deportation Warrant Stands Despite His "White Slave" Protest

Charles Ponzi, serving time at state prison for his financial "bubble," which cost the public millions, was informed today by Mrs. Anna C. M. Tillinghast, U. S. immigration commissioner for this port, that his crimes involved moral turpitude, whether he thinks so or not.

She wrote to Ponzi in reply to a

Charles Ponzi

letter received from him following the issuance of a deportation warrant by the Department of Labor on the ground that he was guilty of moral turpitude. When Ponzi is released from prison he will be arrested on this deportation warrant and given a hearing. He is not eligible for parole until next October 31.

NO "WHITE SLAVER"

Ponzi wrote to Mrs. Tillinghast: **"Crimes involving moral turpitude are crimes against chastity. Your statement that I have been convicted of crimes involving moral turpitude conveys to the general public the impression that I am a moral degenerate or a white slaver."**

Mrs. Tillinghast replies by citing numerous decisions and a definition of moral turpitude, as follows:

"An act of baseness, vileness or depravity in the private and social duties which a man owes to his fellow men or to society in general, contrary to the accepted and customary rule of right and duty between man and man."

LAW HOLDS OTHERWISE

She adds:

"You were convicted in the Federal Courts of having used the mails in a scheme to defraud; you were also convicted of larceny in State courts.

"Both of these crimes were held by our department at Washington to involve moral turpitude, in consequence of which a warrant for your deportation as issued."

Parking Violations Cost Stone Plates

When Elihu E. Stone, assistant U. S. district attorney, appeared before Registrar of Motor Vehicles George Parker today, to answer to his third tag for illegal parking, his explanation of the offense was not satisfactory to the registrar. His registration was revoked for the period of 24 hours.

White Christmas in N. H.; 5-Inch Snow

Woodsville, N. H., Dec. 20 (AP)—A five-inch fall of snow today gave promise of a white Christmas in northern New Hampshire. As snow continued to fall, it appeared the white blanket would be even deeper in some regions.

$116,000,000 Voted by Senate, Practically All to Be Spent by July 1

Washington, Dec. 20 (AP)—The Senate today passed the emergency $116,000,000 public works bill.

This completes the congressional action on the appropriation, which becomes available immediately upon signature of the bill by the President. The administration intends to put the funds into operation at once on a vast public improvements program extending throughout the nation. Sponsors of the bill said it would give employment to thousands.

'DROP' IN THE BUCKET

The emergency bill and the bill providing $45,000,000 for loans to drought-stricken farmers were sent to the President late today from the Capitol.

The measure got through the Senate finally today after Senators La Follette, Republican, Wisconsin, and Walsh, Democrat, Massachusetts, assailed it as a "drop in the bucket" and demanded additional appropriations to be expended for direct relief.

Passage of the bill was made possible when the Senate receded from three amendments in dispute with the House. It abandoned the amendments without record votes when it became an issue of making the money available before the Christmas recess.

Of the sum, $80,000,000 would be spent in road construction. Inland waterways improvements and public buildings construction will get the remainder.

HOOVER HAS CONTROL

President Hoover is given authority under the bill to allocate the money as he deems necessary, if any emergency arises. It is contemplated that most of the money will be spent before the first of the next fiscal year—next July 1.

Congress has proposed two emergency relief measures—the bill authorizing $45,000,000 for drought relief having won final approval last night. Both measures were on their way to the White House today.

Farm Cash Not Needed Before Christmas, the House Is Told

Washington, Dec. 20 (AP)—The Agriculture Department has advised the House appropriations committee it would not be necessary to appropriate any of the $45,000,000 for drought relief before Christmas.

Chairman Wood of the committee said today he had been informed that if the funds were supplied immediately after the holidays they would be available soon enough, because of the preliminary work that has to be done before the money can be dispensed through loans to farmers.

Authorization for the fund was finally voted by Congress yesterday. The bill now must be signed by President Hoover.

Wood's committee will hold hearings during the holidays to ascertain how the money is to be used. Under the legislation, loans are to be made by the Secretary of Agriculture to drought, storm and hail stricken farmers for food, seed and fertilizer.

Ludlow Allowed Seat in Congress

Washington, Dec. 20 (AP)—The House today adopted the report of an election committee declaring Representative Ludlow was entitled to his seat from the Seventh Indiana district.

BANK STATEMENT

Boston Balance	$36,000,000
Boston Clearance	$75,000,000
New York Balance	$80,000,000
New York Clearance	$1,150,000,000

BALANCES AND RECEIPTS

Washington, Dec. 20—Today's Treasury balance, $353,178,868.

U. S. Customs receipts, $20,358,112.

Turkey and Fixin's to Make Christmas Real to Thousands

Remember Your First Turkey? Wouldn't You Like to Bring Joy to Some Poor Little Boys and Girls?

If you were a little boy—or a little girl—and you just knew, from other pinched days, that there certainly wouldn't be any turkey on your table Christmas Day.

Nor any oranges!

Nor any candy!

If you just knew, in fact, that if there were anything at all on the table to help fill that chronically hungry void you would be thankful indeed . . .

And then found—to your speechless delight and almost unbelief—a smoking turkey waiting to be carved by your excited dad or your suddenly joyous-eyed mother . . .

And gleaming white potatoes, mounded in a dish . . .

And tomatoes and peas . . .

And real, sure enough candy!!!!

Wouldn't you remember that day—always? And wouldn't you, when you grew up, make it a point never to miss a chance to aid some other little boy or little girl—or their family—to the limit of your resources, that they, too, might have that sudden happiness out of all that seemed so black?

Of course you would—and that is why the Christmas Basket Fund is held out to you today by the Boston Evening American as the medium through which you can give this happiness, easily and without effort, but with just as much effect.

There have been many, many Goodfellows who have aided thus far in the fund, but there cannot be too many.

Here are the items that YOU can aid in putting into a Christmas basket this year. Goodfellow—food sufficient for several days:

One turkey.
One dozen oranges.
One can peas.
One can corn.
One can tomatoes.
One can string beans.
One can baked beans.
Two loaves bread.
Half a pound of coffee.
One can squash.
Two pounds of sugar.
Half a peck of potatoes.
Pound of hard candy.

HEART-TOUCHING PLEAS

These constitute the contents of one basket, and a person who has not had the personal experience cannot appreciate the joy that is

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BASKET FUND TO DATE

Previously acknowledged	$11,157.59
A. J. S., Atlantic	5.00
The clerks of the city delivery section of the Boston postoffice, 215 State st., Boston	23.00
C. O. L. Roxbury	1.00
S. A. M.	2.00
V. G.	5.50
Mrs. Marie Phillips	1.00
J. Marblehead	5.39
George H. Guest	9.60
Doris and Frankie	2.00
H. T. S., Boston	2.00
Harry E. Burroughs	
Newsboy Foundation	5.23
J. H., Roxbury	5.00
Lones...ne Willie	5.00
Melrose, Firemen	7.51
L. and C. Abruzzese	2.00
Miss Mildred Townsend	2.53
Russell and Bliss Thayer	1.00
Elsie V. Allen	1.00
Geraldine Tworgy	1.00
Summer S. Gordon, Brookline	1.00
A. L. Marsh	2.00
Doris and Mildred M.	1.00
M. F. B.	1.00
R. L. Agassiz	5.00
Clara W. Tunstall	5.00
C. A. M.	1.00
In Catherine's name, from her aunt	1.00
G. E. La Sage, Malden	1.00
F. B.	2.00
Lucille Cronan	1.00
Frank A. Dore of Raymond's, Inc	100.00
Jurcia and Sylvia Rasch	2.00
Metropolitan Coal Co	10.00
Frank J. Cook	5.00
Clerks of the Excise and Assessing Dept. of the City of Boston	6.75
Junior Cycle of Watertown	2.00
Mary Finlay	10.00
A Friend	1.00
Mrs. and Mrs. Ronald Mitchell, Dedham	2.00
	$11,298.57

The Legion of hearty givers grows daily. Have YOU joined the Christmas Basket Fund? Send your contribution to the Cashier, Boston Evening American Christmas Basket Fund, 5 Winthrop sq., Boston.

Bill to Boost Pay of Hultman to $12,000

A move to increase the salary of Police Commr. Hultman from $8000 to $12,000 annually was made today when Senator Henry Parkman, Jr., on request of Felix Vorenberg, head of one of the largest department stores in Boston, filed a bill at the State House for the increase. A previous bill seeking an increase for the police commissioner failed to pass the House and the move today reopens the issue.

Prince of Wales Is Much Better

London, Dec. 20 (AP)—The Prince of Wales, who has been ill with a cold, is making satisfactory progress toward complete recovery, a bulletin from his residence, York House, said today. Although improved, it was said the prince would not leave his residence today.

Auto Rate Boost Killed in N. H.

Concord, N. H. Dec. 20 (AP)—Proposed increases of from 40 to 60 per cent in automobile insurance rates in this state were disapproved today by Bank Commissioner John E. Sullivan. The commissioner had just completed a study of proposed schedules submitted by the companies.

Butler, Ex-Boston Mound Star, Dead

Bristol, Ct., Dec. 20 (AP)—James E. Butler, 67, former pitcher for the Boston Blues of the New England League, died here today.

Bishop Cannon's Son Faces New Charge

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 20 (CNS)—After appearing at El Monte on bad check and labor charges, Maj. Richard M. Cannon, 38, son of Bishop James R. Cannon, today found himself in new difficulties. The attorney for Cannon, who had been at liberty on $500 bail, entered pleas of not guilty to labor claim charges and said his client was ready to make restitution in one check case. Four additional labor claim charges and one more check charge were preferred. Cannon's bail was set at $1050.

FIVE OTHERS ARE HURT IN ANDOVER MISHAP

Two Autos and Truck Figure in Collision on Boston-Andover Road

Andover, Dec. 20—Seven persons were injured, two of them seriously, in an automobile accident on the Boston-Andover road today.

Icy spots in the roadway about four miles south of Andover sq. caused two cars and a truck to collide.

Misses Elaine Sullivan, 12, of 38 Furnace Brook parkway, Quincy, and her sister, Nancy, 10, are on the danger list at the Lawrence General Hospital. The former has fractured legs and may be suffering from internal injuries. Doctors believe that Nancy has a serious concussion of the brain.

Mrs. Nancy Sullivan, mother of the injured girls, is being treated for concussion and internal shock in the same hospital. Her son, Robert, 20, is also in hospital with head cuts and bruises.

The car in which the Sullivans were riding was driven by Warren Silleri, 18, also of Quincy. He sustained only minor injuries.

Silleri's car skidded on the ice and turned across the road in the path of a truck. The truck was driven by Hector Fleury of Lawrence. He was taken to the Lawrence General hospital to be treated for bruises and has already been discharged.

Charles A. Bean of Somerville was at the wheel of the third car. A burning gasoline tank of this caused it to skid. His injuries are not serious.

Malden Woman Hurt in Crash at Dudley

Dudley, Dec. 20 (AP)—Mrs. Rose Trager, of 36 Jedson street, Malden, received a fractured collarbone and her husband, Joseph, was bruised when their automobile skidded and overturned on Tufts Hill today. Samuel Trager and his wife of Revere, were not injured.

The party were on their way to New York to attend a wedding. Mrs. Trager was taken to Webster Hospital.

Ex-Chauffeur Sues Rich Father-in-Law

Morristown, N. J., Dec. 20 (AP)—Jealousy of her chauffeur, who married the boss' daughter, has brought action against his father-in-law, asking $200,000.

The former chauffeur, Frank C. Youmans, accused Charles E. Gremmels, New York business man, of making many derogatory statements in the presence of Mrs. Youmans and others. As a result, Youmans claims, his wife lost her love and respect for him.

Italian Actor Dead

Pisa, Italy, Dec. 20 (AP)—Gustavo Salvini, actor son of the famous actor, Tomaso Salvini, died yesterday at the age of 71.

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CREW OF SUNKEN FISHERMAN BATTLE HEAVY SEAS TO SHORE

FISHING BOAT IS LOST OFF N. H. COAST

Schooner Angelina Sinks Off Portsmouth After Striking a Submerged Object

Portsmouth, N. H., Dec. 20—Near a point of utter exhaustion, the captain and crew of an ill-fated Gloucester fishing schooner reached the Isle of Shoals coast guard station this morning after a several-hour battle with the elements in a small boat.

They told a story of rowing mile after mile in a heavy sea, their hands almost frozen to the oars, while their distress rockets went unanswered.

ABANDON SHIP

Their schooner, the Angelina, of Gloucester, sank off the Maine coast, just outside Portsmouth harbor, a few minutes after they took to the small boat.

Capt. Frank Vintimiglia told coast guard officers that at about 2:30 o'clock as his ship was proceeding toward the fishing grounds off Boone Island, near York Beach, Me., it suddenly struck a submerged object.

With his crew of three men, Capt. Vintimiglia said he worked at the pumps for nearly 30 minutes, before giving up the attempt to save the ship.

"It was an awful experience," Capt. Vintimiglia told Comdr. S. R. Sands of the First District Coast Guard. "For hours our small tender was at the mercy of a heavy sea. It was snowing and our faces and hands were actually cut by the hard driven flakes. It seemed that we would never reach land. We sent rocket after rocket into the air, but no answer came. For a time it appeared that we were doomed. Then in the first break of dawn we sighted the Isle f Shoals coast guard station."

RETURN TO WRECK

After a few hours' rest, Capt. Vintimiglia and his crew boarded Patrol Boat No. 279 and returned to the scene of the wreck.

The Angelina was a 35-foot motor schooner and was valued in excess of $10,000.

RAILROAD MEN MAY JOIN A. F. L.

Cleveland, Dec. 20 (AP)—New negotiations have been opened which may lead to the affiliation of the major railroad labor brotherhoods and their membership of approximately 300,000 men with the American Federation of Labor, it was announced here today.

The proposed affiliation would increase the membership of the Federation to approximately 3,500,000, and is considered by many labor leaders as one of the most important undertakings in the history of the labor movement in this country.

President Alexander F. Whitney of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen disclosed the negotiations with announcement of the appointment of a committee of three to confer with a similar committee from the American Federation of Labor.

New Gas Stock

The State Department of Public Utilities today approved the petition of the Lynn Gas & Electric Co. for authority to issue 23,400 additional shares of capital stock of the par value of $25 per share.

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to the story of her innocence. That is a regular trade in New York, and apparently is nobody's concern.

Another magistrate is indicted with his wife, accused of buying his job on the bench, and a doctor is indicted with him for taking $2000 to get the indorsement of the "Steuben society."

A new "racket" consists in getting up fraudulent charity balls and sending around strong arm salesmen to force small shopkeepers to buy, with blackmailing threats.

And so it goes in our civilization.

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Art as Laborers' Aid -:- -:- By FRANKLIN COLLIER

GERRIT A. BENEKER, POSTER ARTIST WANTS TO HELP THE LABORING MAN THROUGH ART
ORGANS? ART? POETIC? PLASTIC? POSTERS? PISHING!
ORGHAN HAS EVER BEEN STRONG FOR MIXING ART WITH WORK.
MR. BENEKER SAYS WHEN A WORKING MAN SEES HIMSELF IN A PAINTING HE'LL BE INTERESTED IN IT. BUT THAT AIN'T GOIN TO MAKE IT ANY EASIER FOR HIM T' BUY IT!
LOOK AT THE COLOR AND VALUES IN THAT PAINTING, SKILLY!
NICE BIT OF COMPOSITION, EH?
IT'S GOOD, BUT I LIKE THE IMPRESSIONISTIC SCHOOL OF PAINTING MUCH BETTER.
I THINK YOU TOTCH.
I NO TOTCH!
GOODA BOY JOSEEP!
NOON HOUR IN THE STREET DEPARTMENT
MR. BENEKER IS STRONG FOR ART THAT COMMON PEOPLE CAN UNDERSTAND
WHY NOT THIS?

FIGHT ON FOR 3 BILLIONS CASH FOR VETS

Texan's Plea for Immediate Payment of the Bonus Wins Strong Congress Support

By WILLIAM S. NEAL
International News Service Correspondent.

Washington, Dec. 20—Steadily increasing pressure in Congress for payment of the entire $3,000,000,000 soldiers' bonus in cash promised today to make the issue one of the most important to be considered in this session after the Christmas holidays.

Of the 434 members of the House, there being one vacancy, 92 have signed a petition demanding the ways and means committee report out a bill for a bond issue to take up the adjusted service compensation certificates.

TEXAN SEES VICTORY

The petition, placed on the Speaker's table by Representative Patman (D.), Texas, after Representative Hawley (R.), Oregon, chairman of the ways and means committee, failed to grant him a hearing, has been getting new signatures daily.

"The fight is going right on," said Patman today.

"I am confident that when members learn what their constituents think of this proposal, we will get a majority of the House to sign the petition."

Senator Vandenberg (R.), Michigan, is expected to lead a fight in the Senate after the holidays for cash payment of the insurance certificates.

MELLON FIGHTS PLAN

Although Secretary of the Treasury Mellon is flatly opposed to the plan, advocates are ready to carry their fight through the entire session.

The government has some $700,000,000 in a sinking fund toward payment of the insurance certificates on maturity in 10 years. Backers of the bill propose to make cash payment optional with veterans. Therefore, they say, a bond issue of a billion dollars might be sufficient to make the payment.

New Viceroy

VISCOUNT WILLINGDON, for nearly four years Governor-General of Canada, has been named to succeed Lord Irwin as viceroy in India.

STATE MAY ASK FOR RECEIVERS

Hartford, Dec. 20 (AP)—An application to the Superior Court for receiverships for the Connecticut Trading Corporation and the Connecticut Utilities Corporation, two subsidiaries within the organization of F. E. Kingston & Company, brokers in receivership, was forecast today by State Bank Commissioner Lester E. Shippee, as the result of exhaustive examination of the affairs of both.

Mr. Shippee called in the attention of State's Attorney H. M. Alcorn an alleged irregularity in the organization of the Trading company. Yesterday Alcorn secured bench warrants against three officers of that concern charging perjury. The state claims these officers asserted the initial capitalization of $55,000 had been paid in by them. The state claims this money had not been paid in.

The warrents were against John H. Reid, of West Hartford, president and treasurer; Frank H. Smith of West Haven, vice-president and assistant treasurer, and Edmund J. Grandahl of Hartford, secretary.

MAYOR DEFENDS HIGH WAGES

Mayor Curley advised against lowering the high wages for labor that were a result of the World War in an address today before the Mayors' Club of Massachusetts, holding its monthly luncheon at the Parker House.

Europe faces a threat of war in 10 to 20 years because of the forces of industrial competition, he said.

He pointed to an estimated number of 25,000,000 women employed in industry in this country, as compared with 500,000 a generation ago.

"The wages of labor should not be lowered because the American workman is the best customer for our goods," he said. "And I wonder what would become of America in this period of crisis except for social legislation put through by organized labor in our generation.

"Unless there is serenity and happiness in the home, another period of depression like the present one would make America the most prolific field in the world for Communistic disturbances."

Senator-elect Marcus A. Coolidge, a former mayor of Fitchburg, was the guest of honor and spoke briefly.

LUCAS TELLS OF HIS PART IN NORRIS PLOT

G. O. P. Committee Director Wanted to Beat Senator; Calls Him Democrat

Washington, Dec. 20 (AP)—Robert H. Lucas, executive director of the Republican national committee, acknowledged before the Senate campaign funds committee today that he had ordered literature circulated in Nebraska in the last campaign against Senator Norris.

Lucas said the literature cost $4237 and was provided at the request of regular Republicans of Nebraska who were apprehensive lest Norris—a Republican independent—would be elected.

He said the money was a "personal contribution" and he wanted to see Norris defeated because he considered him (Norris) a Democrat, in view of his opposition to Coolidge and Hoover.

PLACED PRINTING ORDER

He placed the printing order with Charles I. Stengle, editor of the National Farm News, printed locally. It consisted of cartoons on the "wet and dry question," pamphlets of editorials on Norris and a reproduction of a letter to Nebraska Democrats by the "Democratic Victory scouts" asking them to vote for Norris, which had a postscript asking for votes for Hitchcock.

Lucas said the literature went into six or eight states, but only the letter and pamphlet went into Nebraska.

He denied he had endeavored to inject the religious issue into the campaign.

Lucas said he had no desire to keep the matter secret from the Nye committee, but he did want the fact kept from the Democrats because of fear it would renew with vigor their effort to elect Norris.

CALLS NORRIS DEMOCRAT

When the regular Republican organization appealed to him for help, he said, he realized the national committee couldn't "participate" so he paid personally for the literature.

"Norris is a Democrat," he said. "He opposed Coolidge and every one of Coolidge's policies. He opposed Hoover in 1928 and supported and made speeches for Smith. If that doesn't make him a Democrat then I don't a Democrat in the United States."

Nye wanted to know if Chairman Fess, of the National committee, had not avowed the committee's support for all Republican senatorial candidates, including Norris.

Lucas said he would like to see Norris vote with the Democrats in organizing the next Senate "because that would make him regular."

NORRIS WAS REPAID

"But Norris has just been elected on the Republican ticket in Nebraska," put in Sen. Dill, Democrat, Washington. "That's the unfortunate part of it," Lucas replied. "The Democrats were much interested in repaying Norris."

Nye asked if President Hoover should not be considered a Democrat, by Lucas' reasoning, if he appealed for the "election of a Democratic Congress in 1918."

Lucas said he knew nothing about that, but Mr. Hoover "had a right to make him a Republican since then."

PEOPLE

Who Interest You and What They Are Doing

Estelle Taylor on Stand for Step-Dad

Norristown, Pa., Dec. 20—Estelle Taylor, motion picture actress and wife of Jack Dempsey, was a character witness in court here for her step-father, Harry J. Boylan.

Estelle Taylor

Boylan, who is charged with illegal possession and transportation of a bottle of liquor, was fined $50. He was driving to Wilmington, Del., to the bedside of Miss Taylor's sick grandfather, 10 days ago, when his automobile skidded and turned over. Policemen investigating found the bottle.

Miss Taylor described her stepfather as an industrious and sober man.

Newton Buys De Costa Gems for Bride

New York, Dec. 20—Jewels that were the property of Rita de Acosta Lydig, who died recently after a life of luxury, vicissitudes and debts, were sold at auction yesterday in the Plaza art and auction rooms. With household furnishings from other sources, the total for the 250 items sold was $22,177.

Mrs. Newton

The most important jewels were bought by Silas M. Newton, oil magnate, for his newspaper bride, Nan O'Reilly.

Sculptures, carved wood, garden decorations and furniture forming the collection of Karl Freund, brought $10,695 for 175 items at auction in the American-Anderson galleries.

Franco May Fly Back for Hat and Gloves

London, Dec. 20 (US)—Maj. Ramon Franco's flight from Spain following the failure of the revolt was so precipitate that the usual dapper airman, who interned in Portugal, forgot one hat and gloves. He threatens to fly back to Madrid for them, according to advices from the Spanish capital received here.

Ramon Franco

If he should do this, he is likely to receive a warm reception, as a move is said to be on foot to have him extradited from Portugal.

Princess Maria Motors Injured Man to Hospital

Rome, Dec. 20 (AP)—Princess Maria, youngest daughter of the Italian sovereigns, not yet 16, today proved herself a Good Samaritan.

Princess Maria

While driving to Tivoli she saw a group of workmen about one of their number. Learning that the man had fallen from a scaffold, she rushed him in her car to the Policlinic Hospital and remained with him until doctors assured her his life was not in danger.

The little princess reserved her incognito until she reached the hospital, where the doctors and nurses recognized her and gave her an improvised rousing demonstration.

Mrs. Keith-Miller Enters Hospital in New York

New York, Dec. 20—Lost four days on a recent flight out of Havana and wrecked later at Jacksonville, Fla., Mrs. Keith-Miller, daring Australian aviatrix, yesterday entered a New York hospital for treatment for internal injuries.

Mrs. Keith-Miller, it was stated by her mother, Mrs. E. M. L. Beveridge, had suffered from severe illness since the Southern crash which smashed up her plane.

Mrs. Keith-Miller

DRY APPEAL IN COURT TODAY.

Washington, Dec. 20 (INS)—The Supreme Court will receive the Government appeal from the decision of Federal Judge William T. Clark, Newark, N. J., declaring the Eighteenth Amendment invalid late today.

The Government will follow the appeal by a motion for advancement of the case for early hearing, but the motion cannot be presented until the court convenes January 5.

Under the court rules it is believed the issue can be drawn before the court about the middle of January and it is possible the court may set the case down for hearing in February.

Capone Aide Jailed for Tax Dodging

Chicago, Dec. 20 (AP)—Frank Nitti, a Capone leader, was sentenced to 15 months in Leavenworth prison today and fined $10,000 after pleading guilty to evading income tax payments. Internal revenue agents produced evidence that Nitti's income for 1925, 1926 and 1927 totaled $158,823, gained chiefly from sales of alcohol and gambling.

The prosecutors said his earnings were almost entirely gained from the Cicero syndicate operated by Alphonse and Ralph Capone. Ralph Capone faces a three-year term and Jack Guzik awaits sentence on the same charge.

Shovel Unearths Indian Skeleton

Tarrytown, N. Y., Dec. 20 (AP)—Three skulls, believed to belong to Algonquin Indians who lived 300 years ago, were unearthed today by a steam shovel at Hawthorne, N. Y. Two of the skulls were of adults and the third was that of a child. An indentation in one of the adult skulls was said to probably have been made by a tomahawk.

Parachute Jumper Makes New Record

Fresno, Cal., Dec. 20 (AP)—George Sallee, Fresno parachute jumper, is credited by a Department of Commerce report with having established a new official free-fall record here Armistice Day. The report said the barograph reading showed Sallee fell 8625 feet before his parachute opened.

None Found Who Need Truckload of Food and Clothing

Buffalo, Dec. 20 (AP)—There is one area in Erie County which has no needy residents.

At West Falls, in the mouth of the Golden Valley, 17 miles south of here, the ladies' aid society of the church gathered a truckload of food, clothing and bedding.

Investigation in the district revealed that not a single family of that area was in need. The society sent the load to a Buffalo welfare organization.

Boy, 16, Leads Riot; Held With 4 Others

New Haven, Ct., Dec. 20 (AP)—A battle last night between police and 100 strikers of the Leahow Brothers' shirt factory led by a 16-year-old schoolboy, resulted today in the appearance of five persons in City Court. Cases against all were continued to Dec. 24. The youthful leader of the strikers parade was Myer Jacobson.

Gasoline Drops Three Cents

Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 20 (AP)—A three-cent drop in gasoline price in this city, making it 16.8 cents a gallon, was announced by the various oil companies today.

'BAD BOY' SAVES FATHER'S LIFE

A sigh of relief escaped from the lips of Matthew Karolezyk last June as he saw his 15-year-old son, Joseph, leave their South Boston home and start out for the Lyman Reform School in Westboro.

It was not that the father disliked the boy or was happy to see him go, but Joseph, growing up with American children, had always been somewhat of a puzzle to his family. Old world discipline had no effect on this new world boy, and Matthew was glad enough to entrust his upbringing to state authorities.

So Joseph was formally surrendered by his mother and father and taken away as a "stubborn child."

A more sincere sigh escaped from the lips of the father last night when Joseph returned, for Karolezyk was in a ward at Boston City hospital and physicians had declared that only young, vigorous blood could keep him alive.

Karolezyk was stricken with a severe stomach ailment since his son left home and yesterday physicians declared he had only a short time to live unless a transfusion were made.

Last night Joseph visited Boston City hospital and gave a pint of his blood in a transfusion operation.

COURT UPSETS RAIL VERDICTS

Gasoline motor driven cars are not obliged to give the "statutory signals" of blowing the whistle and ringing the bell required of steam locomotives at grade crossings, according to a decision of the full bench of the Supreme court today.

Verdicts of $7605.50 for the death of Charles N. Libby, of Brentwood, $7605.50 for the death of Albert Paul Libby and $1000 for his own serious suffering, were reversed, and judgment entered for the N. Y., N. H. & Hartford R. R. Co.

The Libby's were riding in an automobile driven by the late Albert C. Smith on the night of February 23, 1927, and the machine collided with a gasoline car at a grade crossing on the Hyannis road in Barnstable after the last regular passenger train on that line had passed the crossing.

Bad Weather Holds Up Italian Fliers

Cartagena, Spain, Dec. 20 (AP)—Bad weather continuing along the Spanish Mediterranean coast today made it unlikely that the Italian transatlantic air expedition, headed by Gen. Italo Balbo, will be able to get away for Kienitra, Morocco, the next stop, before possibly Monday.

Gives Blood for Dad Who 'Jailed' Him

JOSEPH KAROLEZYK

NURSE RYDER

WHEN JOSEPH KAROLEZYK, 15, learned that his father, Matthew Karolezyk of South Boston, was ill in City Hospital with only one hope of life—that of blood transfusion—he volunteered to return from Lyman Reform school, where his father had placed him as a stubborn child, and give his blood for his parent. This he did last night. He is shown here with Nurse Hazel Ryder at City Hospital after the transfusion. (Staff photo.)

Herbert, Don't You Hear Us Calling You?

By ARTHUR "BUGS" BAER

Now that President Hoover has powers plenipotentiary to distribute that relief plunder we would like to plug our town.

Our town is only a wide place in the road.

But we would like $17,500,621 to make it wider.

And about $23,000,000 to deepen the river.

The river ain't any good to nobody. But it's cheaper to deepen it than to fill it in.

We could just about use up $56,546,989 for another postoffice.

The postmaster is tired of living in a hollow tree and pushing letters through a knothole.

Not that a postoffice is any good. Nobody reads letters any more.

They're scared to open 'em. A bill will jump out and bite them.

The rest of the money we could use on the railroad. Our town is 300 miles from the main line of the Northwestern and Chiropractic R. R.

We'ds on a spur that pays quartlet dividenda in rust. But we would like to four-track that spur.

If there's any left over we would like a harbor. We ain't near the ocean. And we're further away at low tide. But it would make the other towns jealous.

Think it over, Herbert. You saved Belgium once and not one of those birds voted for you.

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Old Law Ends Sunday Movies in England

London, Dec. 20—No movies will open on Sundays in England after tomorrow. Their opening on Sundays has been held by the Supreme Court to be definitely illegal, and unless an appeal has been heard by December 21, and the judgment has been reversed, no motion picture theater will be able to open on Sundays except under a penalty of $1000 for every performance. The judgment was given under the terms of the "Lord's Day Observance Act" of 1871, which is still operative.

Rent Unpaid So Dry Agents Seize Wine

New York, Dec. 20 (AP)—About 400 barrels of wine, stacked on a W. Broadway sidewalk after the owner, the Alba Wine Company, had been dispossessed for non-payment of rent, were seized today by federal prohibition agents. The wine was valued by the agents at $100,000.

WALSH CITES JOBLESS SURVEY IN DEMAND FOR $100,000,000 AID

Woman Dons Judge's Robes

TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS was the fine imposed on a Medford woman by Judge Emma Fall Schofield when she sat as a judge for the first time in Malden District Court today. Judge Schofield is shown here with some of the flowers presented her when she took her place on the bench at Malden today. (Staff photo.)

LA FOLLETTE JOINS HIM IN FIGHT

Bay State Figures Read in the Senate to Prove $16,000,000 Is "Only a Drop in Bucket"

Washington, Dec. 20 (AP)—Results of an independent survey of employment conditions were read to the Senate today by Senators La Follette, Republican, Wisconsin, and Walsh, Democrat, Massachusetts.

They called for additional federal aid beyond that proposed by the administration.

The two senators read replies to questionnaires they sent to the mayors of every city in the country with a population of more than 5000. Not all cities had reported. LaFollette canvassed the mayors west of the Allegheny mountains and Walsh those to the east.

LaFollette said he had received 100 replies, and these reported that demands for assistance this year had increased from 100 per cent to 800 per cent over last year.

BAY STATE FIGURES

Walsh reported another hundred replies. In Massachusetts, he said, the mayors of 15 cities reported an average of 9.9 per cent unemployed.

He said in Springfield and Pittsfield the calls of families for relief had increased three-fold this year over last. He said 993 families were receiving assistance in Springfield and 280 families in Pittsfield.

LaFollette characterized the pending $116,000,000 employment appropriation as a "drop in the bucket" and asked Congress to make available "a sufficient sum to be expended through the Red Cross or some governmental agency in relieving distress."

Walsh has proposed a $100,000,000 appropriation to be used in dividing the cost of relief work with cities and States.

WALSH DEMANDS AID

Administration leaders who sat by waiting to pass the $116,000,000 emergency employment appropriation have contended that Red Cross officials and other local relief agencies were meeting the situation.

LaFollette said his figures were "a complete refutation" of this contention.

Declaring he considered the relief program "highly inadequate," Walsh said he hoped the senators who agreed with him would get together during the recess or shortly afterward to work out a "constructive program to the end the federal government can show its willingness to share its part in relieving conditions."

Battles for Children

EDWARD PATRICK MRS. HELEN PATRICK PEYTON PATRICK

MRS. HELEN PATRICK of New York is fighting her wealthy parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Anness, for custody of her two children, Edward and Peyton Patrick. She testified that the Annesses offered her $1,000,000 for the custody of the children. The Annesses charge that Mrs. Patrick is unfit to care for the children, due to excessive use of alcohol. (Int'l photo.)

45 PERISH IN SHIP CRASH IN THICK FOG

Finnish Liner Goes Down in Cattegat; British Cricket Star Believed Lost

Copenhagen, Denmark, Dec. 20 (AP)—Forty-five persons, including 17 passengers of the Finnish liner Oberon, are believed to have perished in the Cattegat off Laso island last night when the Oberon collided with the Finnish steamer Arcturus in a heavy fog.

Today the steamer Svenskund, which brought Andree's remains out of the Arctic, broke through the fog seeking additional survivors. The Arcturus, with a hole in her bow, proceeded to port.

The famous British cricketer, J. W. H. T. Douglas, and his father, were believed to have been among those who lost their lives. It was believed Eris Hjelt, commander of the Oberon, was saved by his brother, Osni Hjelt, the skipper of the Arcturus, but his wife and daughter, 4, were lost in the collision.

Among the passengers rescued was the English girl, Phyllis Tipping, a secretary at the American consulate at Helsingfors, who telegraphed her father in Surrey, England, that the Oberon had gone down in four minutes.

On Wedding Trip Now

ELIZABETH HUGHES, daughter of Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes of the U. S. Supreme Court, became the bride yesterday of William T. Gassell, former law associate of her father. The bridal couple are shown leaving the Hughes' home to start their honeymoon after the wedding reception. (International Newsreel photo.)

RYAN HEIRESS IS SUED FOR BALM

New York, Dec. 20 (AP)—Miss Adele Ryan, granddaughter of Thomas Fortune Ryan and part heir to his $120,000,000 estate, is being sued for $500,000 on the ground she broke up a wedded song-and-dance team.

The action was disclosed when Miss Muriel Johnston, night club entertainer, petitioned the State Supreme Court for a preliminary examination of Miss Ryan to support her charges that the heiress stole the affections of Robert Johnston, her partner in matrimony and music. Decision was reserved.

Over a period of four years, the complainant avers, Miss Ryan sought to lure Johnston from his wife by pursuing him on two continents and showering him with gifts of books, perfume, liquor and money. She succeeded, it is charged, and he now has a "luxurious apartment" on the fringe of Greenwich Village.

The plaintiff also alleges Miss Ryan and Johnston made two excursions to Boston and registered at a New York hotel.

Miss Ryan has filed a general denial. Mrs. Johnston has instituted suit for divorce, requested by her husband, she claims, so that he might marry the heiress.

The Johnstons were sweethearts at the University of California and were married in Berkeley, Cal., in 1923. As the team of Bon and Muriel, they gained attention here and abroad.

WOMAN JUDGE TAKES POST

Women will not have any edge on men defendants in Malden district court if the disposition of the first woman's case before Judge Emma Fall Schofield today can be taken as a criterion.

The fair defendant, arraigned before Judge Schofield, sitting for the first time today, was Mrs. Bessie Gillette of Medford, charged with driving an automobile without a license and for failure to stop at the command of a traffic policeman.

Judge Schofield fined Mrs. Gillette $25 on the second charge and placed the first charge on file.

Judge Schofield took her place as third associate justice of the Malden district amid much pomp and ceremony. In reality it was "Women's Day" in the courtroom, which was crowded to capacity.

Clerk W. S. Tyler stepped aside to allow Miss Emily J. Mather, assistant clerk, to preside. Probation Officer William J. Kelley abdicated in favor of Mrs. Maude Hillery, assistant probation officer.

Michael E. Hasadahk, of Malden, was the defendant in Judge Schofield's first case. He was charged with being drunk. His case was placed on file.

GARRETT FAILS TO SEEK BAIL

The name of Judge Patrick J. Keating, at present presiding in the Suffolk Superior Court, was brought forward today as the most likely to preside at the trial of Oliver B. Garrett, tentatively scheduled for Jan. 9.

It had been expected that Chief Justice Walter Perley Hall would assign the Garrett case for trial today, but when court had closed no such action had been taken.

Although Garrett still has two more court days in which to file a plea for the removal of the default warrant and request his temporary release on bail, there was no indication that his counsel, Herbert D. Callahan, plans any such move.

It seemed a certainty that Garrett will spend his Christmas and New Year's holidays not among his family and a gay throng of merry makers, but behind his cell in the Charles st. jail.

SEN. GREENE IS BURIED IN VT.

St. Albans, Vt., Dec. 20 (AP)—Frank Lester Greene, Vermont's senior United States Senator, was laid at rest today.

The little Congregational church, where Rev. L. D. Livingston conducted services, was crowded with high officials of the State, colleagues from Congress and scores of neighbors who knew him both as boy and man.

The great in Vermont's political and educational affairs served as honorary pall bearers. Governor Weeks led the group. Others were John G. Sargent, former attorney-general; former Governors E. C. Smith and Redfield Proctor; Fred A. Howland, president of the National Life Insurance Company; Dr. Guy W. Bailey, president of the University of Vermont; Dr. Charles A. Plumley, president of Norwich University; Frank E. Howe, publisher of the Bennington Banner, and Luther Johnson, publisher of the Randolph Herald.

Members of the congressional party were: Senators Dale, Vermont, and McMaster, South Dakota; Representative Gibson, Vermont; Dallinger, Massachusetts; Allen, Illinois; Crosser, Ohio; Hale, New Hampshire, and Ketcham, Michigan.

Weeks, Gibson or Proctor May Succeed Greene

Montpelier, Vt., Dec. 20 (AP)—Selection of a successor to United States Senator Frank L. Greene, who died Wednesday, today was a subject of discussion among leaders.

Vermont law provides that the Governor shall call a special election to fill the vacancy. In the meantime, however, when Congress is in session, as it is now, he is empowered to appoint a temporary successor.

Prominent among those mentioned for the post have been Governor Weeks, who was elected to Congress in the last election; Congressman Ernest W. Gibson and former Governor Redfield Proctor. Governor Weeks retires in a few weeks.

MANVILLE HEIR IS DIVORCED

Reno, Dec. 20 (AP)—Lois Arlene McCoin Manville, stenographer to the late Thomas F. Manville, president of the Johns-Manville Co., was granted a divorce here today from Thomas F. Manville, Jr., an heir to the Manville millions. The divorce was granted for desertion.

It was the second matrimonial failure of the son of the asbestos king, as the elder Manville was known. His first marriage with Florence Huber of the Follies ended in divorce.

A property settlement between the cuple is said to provide that Mrs. Manville shall receive an income of $19,00 a year.

Hoovers at Yule Service

Washington, Dec. 20 (AP)—The President and Mrs. Hoover will attend the special Christmas service tomorrow morning at the Washington Episcopal Cathedral.

Washington, Dec. 20—Miss Elizabeth Evans Hughes, daughter of Chief Justice and Mrs. Charles Evans Hughes, was married last night to William Gassett, of New York, at the home of her parents.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Only members of the family witnessed the services.

The ceremony was performed by Dr. Emerson Fosdick, pastor of the Riverside Drive church of New York. He was assisted by Dr. William S. Abernathy of Calvary Baptist Church, Washington.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony and then the bridal couple left for their honeymoon journey.

QUIET AGAIN RULES IN SPAIN

Madrid, Dec. 20 (AP)—Martial law appeared to be only theoretical in Spain today. Soldiers who have patrolled the streets of the principal cities for the past week had been withdrawn from active duty and were concentrated in their barracks.

The government remained alert for any emergency, however, and Premier Berenguer, who has been ill, was back on the job again denying rumors that the cabinet was on the point of resigning.

Competent observers were inclined to believe the ministry would remain in office for the present, though it appeared possible the cabinet would resign within a few months.

Infanta Isabel Is 80

Madrid, Dec. 20 (AP)—The Infanta Isabel, paternal aunt of King Alfonso, celebrated her eightieth birthday today.

Rabbit Thieves Got Death Germs

Pittsburgh, Dec. 20 (AP)—Physicians on the staff of St. Margaret's Hospital issued a warning today that they hope will be seen by the burglars who ransacked the hospital laboratory and stole three live rabbits. The rabbits were germ-inoculated, and to eat them would mean almost certain death, the doctors pointed out.

Bank Embezzler Jailed for 4 Years

Portland, Me., Dec. 20 (AP)—Carl A. Weber, former cashier of the First National Bank and an employe of the institution for 30 years, was sentenced to four years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta today on his plea of guilty to a charge of embezzlement of $8000 of bank funds.

Trio Held in $10,000 Liquor Seizure

Three men taken with $10,000 worth of choice holiday liquors in Newton last night were held for hearing December 23 when arraigned today in Newton court, where they pleaded not guilty. Charles Buckman, Kempton pl., West Newton, operator of a storage warehouse at that address, was held in $600 for possessing and selling liquor. David Kaplan, Homestead st., Roxbury, and Harry Carter, Woolson st., Mattapan, charged with keeping and exposing, were held in $300 each. Police said they were arrested on a truck moving away from the warehouse with the liquor.

Man Appeals $200 Lottery Case Fine

Joseph Mazzola, address unknown, was fined $200 by Judge Thomas Dowd in municipal court today for setting up and running a pool in a shoe factory in Harrison ave., South End. He appealed.

Mazzola was arrested when Patrolman Francis McGuire of East Dedham st. station posed as a government shoe inspector in the factory and caught him selling tickets to employes.

Still Starts Fire That Burns Barn

Northboro, Dec. 20 (AP)—Explosion of a 150-gallon still caused a $4200 fire that destroyed a barn on the Chandler Rice place today, according to opinion of Fire Chief White. The property was bought two months ago by Albert Dorman, the police say. Federal officers are seeking Dorman to question him regarding liquor making apparatus found in a silo near the barn.

Reparation Plan Hit

Berlin, Dec. 20 (USI)—Hoepker Aschoff, Prussian finance minister, today declared that the present reparations system cannot be carried out.

Lindy Turns Firefighter to Save Plane

COL. CHARLES A. LINDBERGH WHEN FIRE THREATENED to destroy his plane at Baltimore yesterday, Col. Charles A. Lindbergh turned fireman by grabbing an extinguisher and halting the flames. His wife, in the pilot's seat, shut off both the gasoline and motor to prevent more serious danger. Col. Lindbergh is shown above supervising repairs to the plane at Baltimore (A. P. photo)

Ice on Water Ferry Boat Is Tried Out

Brookville, Ont., Dec. 20 (AP)—An ice and wafer boat, capable of high speed on ice and snow and 15 miles an hour over water, was demonstrated today. A plan was being considered to place it in winter ferry service between here and Morristown, N. Y. The boat is equipped with a 450-horsepower motor and airplane propeller. It has a flat bottom, glass enclosed cabin for 10 passengers and air rudder. It was developed by Morris G. Knight at Alexandria Bay, N. Y.

Bystander Slain

Chicago, Dec. 20 (INS)—Caught in the line of fire between two policeman and two bandits Robert S. Wallace, an architect, was instantly killed last night.

4 Shopping Days to Christmas

Buy a gift certificate— *when you're not sure!*

If you are in doubt about the size, color, or the nature of the gift that you need—buy a Gift Bond or Certificate in any of Boston's leading stores. These are practical and welcome remembrances. They are easily mailed and can be attractively presented. They save time for you and enable the recipient to get exactly what he or she wants. Gift Certificates are available for various amounts. They are easy to buy and always acceptable. So, if you are in doubt about any present on your list, send a Gift bond or Certificate.

Plan Your Christmas Shopping from the Advertisements in the

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"It's Christmas-time in Boston"

News of Society Circles and Current Events Among Women's Clubs

Burrage Ball Brilliant Event

Priceless Orchids Transform Copley-Plaza Ballroom Into Tropical Garden

KATHERINE BURRAGE'S presentation ball will go down in Boston history as one of the most beautiful and smartest ever given for a young debutante. The Burrage orchids changed the ballroom at the Copley-Plaza into a tropical garden with realistic effect. Priceless and exotic blossoms banked the stairways and Miss Burrage and her mother, Mrs. Russell Burrage, received in a bower of gorgeous lavender and pink orchids. Miss Kitty was radiant in white tulle touched with silver and Mrs. Burrage was very beautiful in bright light blue lace en train.

PALMS AND FERNS turned the reception room into a garden with tiny pathways leading to the stone benches for rest and refreshment, the borders lined with pink begonias. Spanish moss draped the chandeliers, giving a most unusual dimmed effect and elkhorn ferns hung from the boxes. We saw the first white poinsettias and pink not to mention the brilliant display of red ones which flanked the entrance. Orange trees and plants, which only a horticulturist could name were used with magical effect. A sumptuous breakfast was served at 2 and the small tables were decorated with lighted Christmas trees.

YOUNG ALBERT BURRAGE, JR., and Mrs. Burrage were united among the hundreds of guests, she looking lovely as usual in turquoise blue satin, and the sub-deb daughter of the Russell Burrages, Miss Alice, was glimpsed hidden in a box with two school friends, Nancy Whitman and Sarah Sortwell. Among the young matrons we saw Mrs. George von L. Meyer, breathless by lovely ivory lace and the most beautiful gob of the season, in our opinion, Miss Anne Warren in black velvet with touch of gold.

BARBARA YOUNG another deb, was in blue satin and tulle, really charming was Miss Constance Wentworth in white and silver. Pretty Betty Saltonstall bordered her retrousse nose gowned in white satin and Virginia Fearing wore a style you could have only appeared in a dream, of white chiffon encircled with silver. Like a charming cameo was Martha Means in black lace and vivacious Lydia Parker wore pink taffeta with bodice the tone of her lips in turquoise velvet. A group of literary lights appeared to be quite happy when she arrived.

Star Ballet to Be Specialty Number in "The Blue Bird"

ONE OF THE SPECIALTY numbers in "The Blue Bird" is to be the star ballet. This will be headed by Miss Miriam Winslow, who has trained the girls, with the assistance of Mrs. Francis Cummings, Jr. Others in this number are Mrs. Francis Cummings, Jr., Miss Mianne Palfrey, Miss Elizabeth L. Hubbard and Miss Anne H. Dick. The Blue Guardians are Mrs. Abbott Smith, Mrs. Henry Jackson, Jr., and Miss Mabel A. Bell. The Queen of Fire and Water will be interpreted by Miss Ann Frothingham and Miss Eugenia Frothingham. The Mothers' voices will be rendered by members of the Junior League Glee Club. Tickets are on sale at Herrick's and Filene's through the 25rd. On Wednesday, the 24th, and thereafter, they will be at the box office of the Repertory Theater.

MISS PRISCILLA PRINCE, daughter of Mrs. Charles Barnard Prince of 67 Marlborough st., is to be in charge of the ushers for the dance concert to be given in Jordan Hall, Wednesday evening, January 7, by Hans Wiener, famous Viennese dancer. She will be assisted by other Junior League girls.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE RICHARDS MOTT who have been in New York for several days are returning today.

DR. HARRY J. LEE IS SAILING on the Western Ocean for the Westward Islands today from New York.

Miss Ruth Swift, Home From Vassar, Wears Pink Tulle

AN EFFECTIVE GOWN on a sweet girl was pink tulle in very ruffles worn by Miss Ruth Swift. Miss Swift came home from Vassar for the holidays and is leaving Frothingham was another dainty mite from wore blue taffeta becomingly and Laura Holmes, one of the few who wears her blonde hair parted in the middle and looks well, was

Society Girl Makes Debut

KATHERINE BURRAGE made her bow to Boston society at the Copley-Plaza last night at one of the most brilliant balls ever given in Boston. The popular debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Burrage wore white tulle, touched with silver, with a corsage bouquet of the priceless Burrage orchids. (Staff photo.)

stunning in black tulle. Katherine Ribens of Salem was also in black, and Jane Brown in contrast wore all white. Susan Brewer dodged the camera in a gauzy velvet and Mary and Virginia Cowles greeted their hosts of friends in satin, very long.

ONE OF THE MOST NOTICEABLE velvet gowns was worn by Rosamond Hart, pale green with jade earrings. Betty Poole and Edith Parker of Vincent Club fame were gowned in black, and Mrs. Everett Morse was so surrounded by her friends we could get only a glimpse of her dress. In apricot satin, and most becomingly so, was gowned Mrs. J. Lewis Brennin and Mrs. Charles Mixter wore black velvet with diamante regally. Mrs. Valentine Hollingsworth appeared late in plum-chiffon, and Miss Susan Sturgis came in green moire.

AMONG THE LATE ARRIVALS was Miss Susan Moller, very stunning in white satin touched with black. The gowns of the young folks were simply marvelous, quite the loveliest of this season. Mrs. William Coolidge, Sr., was in black velvet, with Mrs. George Engleman, who wore a gleaming gown of silver with her lovely jewels, and Mrs. Butler Ames in black and Miss Anna Nourse in white were noticed in the crowd. Kitty Talbot, Lorna Livermore, Felice Leeds, Agnes Boardman, Caroline Hunnewell and numerous others drifted about on the arms of the hosts of good-looking men who acted as ushers. It was a party long to be remembered.

MISS MARIBEL VINSON, United States woman figure skating champion, is sailing on the Baltic today to compete in the world championship in Berlin.

Betty Alden

Children Donate Two Tons of Food to Poor

More than 4000 children "paid" tow tons of vegetables foradmissions to the Seville and Central square theaters in East Boston today where benefit shows were given in aid of East Boston's Christmas Basket Fund for needy families.

In Old Boston—No. 439

Massachusetts Tercentenary, 1930

PROMENADE CONCERTS on the Common attracted the leading families of the city 75 years ago. These concerts were given twice a week during the summer months, and as Boston boasted of its bands, the affairs were social and musical successes. A newspaper of 1855 said of the crowds: "There are the Beacon st. millionaire, the Boston mechanic and the belle with her accepted." MONDAY —Engine at fire.

Clip Here and Save

Crippled Children to Be Taught in Homes

By NANCY BREWSTER

Physically handicapped children will have public school education brought to them in their homes by a corps of six teachers, beginning shortly after January 1.

This new plan was announced by Patrick Campbell, assistant superintendent of the Boston Public schools, at the meeting of the Boston City Federation of Women's Clubs in the Y. W. C. A. yesterday.

He told what the city is doing for handicapped children.

Only one class of handicapped children will not be included in the new plan of home instruction at present—the boys and girls afflicted with epilepsy, but these will eventually be included, it is hoped, by the school committee, Mr. Campbell said.

STAMMERERS AIDED

Special classes for stammerers have succeeded in correcting 1000 pupils during the past year, the speaker said.

Children with heart disease also have a chance for public school instruction through classes held in Boston City Hospital and at the House of the Good Samaritan.

The contrast between the treatment of truants today and in the old days when they were sent to Deer Island and were classed as criminals was brought out by Campbell as he described the disciplinary day school conducted in an old mansion in Roxbury, where the rattan is never used and where the rules of continued playing away from school is sought first.

GIRLS TRAINED

Only one boy a year has required further discipline such as is given at Chelmsford in the Suffolk school.

The vocational training for girls given at the Boston Trade school for girls was described by Miss Esther McNellis and Julia Murphy, director of playgrounds, told about "Recreational Opportunities for Children of Boston."

Mrs. Wallace Starr Kind, chairman of the educational department, presided at the meeting.

Ladies' Unity Club to Bring Christmas Joy to Aged People

The Ladies' Unity Club will hold its Christmas festivities at the Home for the Aged, 64 Bartlett st., Roxbury, when friends join to make a happy family at this season. The Christmas tree this year will be presented by Miss Janice Rogers and will be trimmed the day before by the members of the club.

On Christmas Day there will be a party when gifts will be distributed. Friends are welcome at the home on these two days.

Italian Legion Women to Elect Officers Monday

The meeting of the Italian Legion Auxiliary, Post No. 1, will be held Monday, Dec. 22, at 8 o'clock, at the League of Catholic Women rooms, 1 Arlington st. The annual election will take place at this meeting.

Professional Club to Stage Parisian Revel and Frolic

Twelfth night revels as they are celebrated in Paris on the Feast of the Epiphany will be incorporated in the fanciful sketch of a Revellion as it might take place among the artists of Paris when members of the Professional Women's Club frolic in the Hotel Statler ballroom on the evening of Jan. 5.

Gay, masquerading students will frolic through the "Street" and "Sidewalk Cafe" with its singers and dancers furnishing amusement.

The highlight of the evening will be the choosing of the king and queen of the revels, with printers, heralds and a endants from among the audience. Exciting episodes will take place in the "studio" where works of art are to be judged and the costumes for the ball censored.

Members are requested to come in fancy dress to lend atmosphere. The co-operation of all members is requested to make this a success.

Tickets for a buffet supper from 10 till 11:30 o'clock in the Georgian room, are on sale by Mrs. Mary R. Campbell of Cambridge.

Settlement House Children to Enjoy Christmas Party

Two Christmas parties are on the program today of the Ladies' Catholic Settlement House in the South End.

They entertain children under school age in the morning at 10:30 and at 8 p. m. the older children will make merry around the Christmas tree. Clothes, toys and candy will be distributed at both gatherings. Refreshments contribute to the general good time at both parties.

Opera Features Today's Meeting of Somerville Club

Light opera is on the program for the meeting of the Somerville Woman's Club in Unitarian Hall this afternoon, when "The Only Girl" is being presented by the Tarbune Light Opera Co. The company presenting it is composed of Eve Whittaker, soprano, Grace Haddin, contralto, George Wheeler, tenor, Martin Albrecht, baritone, and Leona Buck, pianist.

Army of Workers Speed Holiday Mail

There will be no delivery of mail on Christmas day and extra hour for mailing cards for delivery before the holiday is 10 p. m. tonight, Acting Postmaster William E. Hurley announced today. Additional clerks and laborers were assigned to the main post office and all substations today, to attack the mountain of packages and letters that are piling in.

Tons of mail received at the Burlington ave. and army base clearing house stations for parcels post packages swamped the force of workers previously assigned, although a large number of extras had been added to the regular forces.

Early Gifts Land Children in Hospital

San Francisco, Dec. 20 (AP)—Because they couldn't wait until Christmas to open their gifts, Norman and Earle Erickson, 11 and 12 years old, will spend Yuletide in the hospital. Their presents were roller skates. Half an hour after they opened the parcels today, Norman fell and suffered a compound fracture of the wrist. He was taken to the hospital. Two hours later Earle was put in an adjacent bed, suffering the same injury.

26 Made Priests on Pope's Anniversary

Rome, Dec. 20 (AP)—Twenty-six American students of the American college here were ordained priests of Roman Catholic faith in the Church of St. John Lateran today.

The ordination had special significance, since St. John Lateran is the mother church of Christianity and Pope Pius was ordained in it 41 years ago today.

Caruso Citizen of Italy, Court Rules

New York, Dec. 20—The contention of Mrs. Dorothy Caruso Ingram that her first husband, Enrico Caruso, was a citizen of Italy and not of the United States when he died in 1921 was upheld today by Federal Judge Patterson.

The ruling was made in the suit brought by the widow to regain $40,555 paid by the famous tenor in income taxes during 1918, 1919 and 1920.

Archduke's Talkie Greetings Banned

Budapest, Hungary, Dec. 20 (AP)—A talking picture film in which the Arch Duke Otto sent Christmas greetings to Hungarians loyal to his cause has been scrapped because he did not speak Hungarian sufficiently well, said a message here today from Steenockerzeel, Belgium, where he is living in exile. The film illustrated the young Arch Duke's life in Belgium.

Jeannette McDonald, Film Star, Engaged

Hollywood, Cal., Dec. 20 (INS)—Jeannette MacDonald, New York and Hollywood stage and screen star, displayed a sparkling diamond ring today and admitted she was engaged to marry Robert Ritchie, artists' representative in Hollywood. Reports they were engaged were in general circulation a year ago, but the reports remained unconfirmed until today.

Show Brings Two Tons of Vegetables

Two tons of vegetables were paid by 4000 children yesterday at Seville and Central sq. theaters, East Boston, at joint shows for East Boston's Christmas basket funds.

The children deposited the vegetables as admission at the box office and the proceeds insured the filling of more than 500 baskets for Christmas.

President of Cuba Misses Einstein

Havana, Dec. 20 (AP)—Prof. Einstein, still a little dazed by the reception he receives at every stop on his way to California, resumed his journey on the steamer Belgenland today without having met President Machado, who could not return from a week-end trip before the Belgenland sailed.

Shimmering Frocks for Cocktail Hour

By ANN ARDEN

THE HOURS from five to seven, known as the cocktail hour, are useful to those who make a strong fetish of fashion, for checking up on what the other feminine guests are wearing, more than for whetting an appetite. The dinner table conceals so much. And what follows dinner may be so demanding of undivided attention that a consequential detail or two may be overlooked!

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FROCKS FOR convivial occasions on these glamorous nights are too much the masterpieces of fabric and cut to be slighted in the least detail. They send out twinkling lights from sheer metal clothes and dusky velvets. The swish of taffeta is present and the soft sweeping movements of chiffons. Embroideries, eyelet details, and fagoting prompt a second look, they are so lovely.

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EVEN A THIRD look may seem not too bold when a delightful detail justifies. And sleeves, of course, provide an evening's study in themselves. Drama is lent to the simple gesture of reaching toward an extended tray, by wing sleeves shimmering with paillettes, or by pleated sleeves in a series of tiers. Leg o'mutton sleeves shirred at the shoulders and held in glove-like snugness almost to the elbows, are interesting. Sleeves that stop short of the wrist and are cuffed with flaring lace are new and nice.

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THE THEATER hour seems to have found a particular mode of its own this season. Any number of informally-formal frocks are being worn by smart women. By terming them informally-formal we mean those dresses that strike a medium course between afternoon and evening. They may have long or short sleeves, may be worn with or without a small formal hat, and must be ankle length. A simple, high-belted lame with short sleeves edged in fur noted recently is an excellent example of this type.

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THE FROCK pictured is of sheer supple lame, flowered in Dresden design of roses and their green leaves. The skirt is subtly full from diagonal sections on Viennese lines. The neckline is draped to tie, belt of the material is fastened with smart metal buckle. The short sleeves are edged in sable-dyed squirrel. An attractive frock that will answer many demands during this festive season.

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—Boston Evening American Staff Photo.

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ANN ARDEN will answer questions concerning clothes, social customs or fashions generally. Address your questions to the Boston Evening American or the Boston Sunday Advertiser or to Station WLEX.

Ex-Kaiser Shops Like a Patriarch for Xmas

By WILLIAM W. CHAPLIN,
Associated Press Staff Writer.

Doorn, Holland, Dec. 20—Former Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany, who served as he was making preparation for Christmas festivities at his castle, appears perfectly contrast to be a patriarch in this tiny community. Time has softened the lines of his face, and his hair, like a patch of snow, gives a benign expression to his aging features.

Here, at least, Wilhelm still is an important figure among the humble peasants who pay him all the deference due to an ordinary country squire. He goes about them with perfect freedom and with only one attendant, strolling about the streets and looking in at the windows in the little town's half-dozen shops. Occasionally he stops in at his cafe for a refreshing glass of beer.

Each morning from 9 until 11 Wilhelm works in the Rosarium he has given the village, digging, planting, chopping and sawing as he can with his one good arm. Boys and girls on bicycles coast to within a few feet of whence comes the sound of wood logs falling apart under the busy saw of the once mighty monarch.

With the villagers Wilhelm is merely a man among friends.

There may still be signs of pomp and power inside the castle, with resplendent uniforms and blazing medals, but before the people all is simplicity.

"We always call him highness," the villagers say, with kindly Dutch smiles, "he likes it—and it doesn't cost us anything."

Three Appointed to Rockefeller Board

New York, Dec. 20 (AP)—A cabinet officer, a college dean and a packing magnate have been added to the general education board, a Rockefeller project for the promotion of education. They are Ray Lyman Wilbur, secretary of the interior; Prof. Edwin Mims, head of the Department of English at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn., and Harold Higgins Swift, vice-president of Swift & Co., Chicago.

Queen Gives Out Clothing to Poor

Madrid, Dec. 20 (AP)—Queen Victoria with her own hands today distributed winter clothing to the poor, an annual Christmas custom which takes place at the Royal Palace. There was a dainty underwear for the women, much of it made by the members of the aristocracy.

Today at Your Neighborhood Theatre

ALLSTON

PUBLIX ALLSTON — STADIUM 0516 — GARY COOPER in "THE SPOILERS" "SWEETHEARTS ON PARADE" Continuous Show Today

PUBLIX CAPITOL — CAP 0228-0229 — GEORGE BANCROFT "DERELICT" Helen Twelvetrees "THE CAT CREEPS" Midnite Show New Year's Eve with Henry Kolker

BRIGHTON

PUBLIX CYPTHIAN — Stadium 6800 — Walter Huston-Kay Francis "VIRTUOUS SIN" Jack Mulhall-Sally Starr "FOR LOVE O' LIL" Continuous 1-11

CAMBRIDGE

PUBLIX CENTRAL SQ. — UNI 0872 — GEO. BANCROFT in "DERELICT" "THE CAT CREEPS" Lois Moran-Phillip Holmes Midnite Show New Year's Eve—Tickets Now on Sale

PUBLIX HARVARD — IN CAMBRIDGE — MILTON SILLS in "THE SEA WOLF" Dorothy Mackaill in "THE LOVE RACKET" Sat.—"Phantom of the West"

PUBLIX UNIVERSITY PORTER 4580 HARVARD 58 — "HE KNEW WOMEN" Lowell Sherman-Alice Joyce Richard Arlen in "The Santa Fe Trail"

CHARLESTOWN

KM KEENEY'S HOLLYWOOD — CHAS. 2000 — Paul Whiteman and His Band in "KING OF JAZZ" "Gods of Honor" Stanwyck Bits, Monster Kiddies' Xmas Party Sat. Mat.

THOMPSON SQUARE — CHARLES — EDMUND LOWE "SCOTLAND YARD" CHARLIE CHAPLIN "THE CIRCUS"

DORCHESTER

COMMONWEALTH — DORCHESTER — Tel. 0040 — Norma Talmadge in "MADAM DU BARRY" Buddy Rogers-Helen Kane in "Heads Up"

DORCHESTER THEATRE — Tel. Ginna 9700 — GIFT NITE TONITE. Ends Tonite "BALLERINA" and "BEYOND THE LAW" This Afternoon, 2nd chapter new serial, Rin Tin Tin in "THE LONE DEFENDER"

DORCHESTER (Cont.)

PUBLIX FIELDS CORNER — TEL. TAL 2200 — JOHN GILBERT in "WAY FOR A SAILOR" with Wallace Beery Lois Moran-Phillip Holmes in "THE DANCERS" Nite Show New Year's Eve, Reserve Seats Now.

PUBLIX MORTON — Charles Ruggles-Clara Bow "Her Wedding Night" "Captain of Guards" John Boles-Laura LaPlante

PUBLIX STRAND — UPHAMS COR — GEORGE BANCROFT in "DERELICT" "THE CAT CREEPS" Reserve Seats Now — New Year's Eve Midnite Yodel Show

EGLESTON SQ.

EGLESTON — MAIN ST. at Eglestion Sq. — "MOBY DICK" "THOSE 3 FRENCH GIRLS" R. Benny-Fifi Dorsay Other Soloists

EVERETT

PARK RIALTO — EVERETT — Chester Morris in "The Strange Case of Sgt. Grischa" Richard Gibson in "THE CONCENTRATION KID"

HYDE PARK

EVERETT SQUARE — HYD. 1234 — Charles Bickford "THE SEA BAT" Charles Rogers-Helen Kane "HEADS UP"

JAMAICA PLAIN

PUBLIX JAMAICA — JAM. 2580 — MILTON SILLS in "THE SEA WOLF" "JAZZ SINDERELLA" News—Free Parking

MALDEN

GRANADA — MALDEN — MAL. 0054 — GEORGE BANCROFT in "DERELICT" "LADY'S MORALS" with R. Benny

STRAND — MALDEN — Tel. MAL 0en 3711 — Richard Cromwell in "Tolable David" "Fast and Loose" Tolable Now Selling for New Year's Eve Midnite Show

MATTAPAN SQ.

PUBLIX ORIENTAL — MIL. 1200 — GEORGE BANCROFT "THE DERELICT" LOIS MORAN "THE DANCERS" Parking — New Year's Eve Stash Now

REVERE

REVERE and CRESCENT GARDENS — "MADAM SATAN" Reginald Denny Kay Johnson

ROSLINDALE

PUBLIX RIALTO — Tel. 3850 — MILTON SILLS in "THE SEA WOLF" Constance Bennett in "High People"

ROXBURY

Publix DUDLEY-Hig.0041 — "BILLY THE KID" Wallace Beery-Kay Johnson "SWEETHEARTS ON PARADE" ALICE WHITE

PUBLIX HUMBOLDT — Sac. 1616 — "Oh Sailor—Behave" with Matt Moore "The Call of the West" GIFT NIGHT

PUBLIX RIVOLI — DER. 0100 — GEO. BANCROFT "DERELICT" "FAST AND LOOSE" Midnite Show, New Year's Eve

SOMERVILLE

PUBLIX SHAWMUT — Dor. 1310 — MAURICE CHEVALIER "PLAYBOY OF PARIS" "EXTRAVAGANCE" Jane Cotter-Lloyd Hughes Evan Burke-Nita Naldi Mon. and Tues. Midnite Yodel Show New Year's Eve

PUBLIX CAPITOL — BROADWAY — KIKY LYNDELL "LAST OF THE LONE WOLF" Nita Naldi-Lya Ley "Soup to Nuts" 4 Standard Acts Vaudeville

SOUTH BOSTON

BROADWAY — SOBOSTON — "SINNER'S HOLIDAY" GRANT WITHERS "For the Love of Lil" JACK MULHALL

STRAND — SOUTH BOSTON — WINNIE LIGHTNER "The Life of the Party" "The Gods of Honor" Mahlon Hamilton Sat. Night—LINEN NIGHT

SOUTH END

NATIONAL THEATRE — TRINITY ST — "UP THE RIVER" BESSIE LOVE "CONSPIRACY" Burlesk Revue Sat. Mat. and Eve.

WALTHAM

PUBLIX EMBASSY — WALTHAM — Kay Francis-Walter Huston in "VIRTUOUS SIN" SUE CAROL in "She's My Weakness" Free Auto Park—500 Cars

STAGE FACING U. S. CENSOR, PRIEST WARNS

New York, Dec. 20—The stage today is in a position similar to that of the saloons before prohibition, the Rev. James M. Gillis, editor of The Catholic World, yesterday told a meeting of the Catholic Actors' Guild.

Just as the saloons brought on national prohibition, he asserted, a decadent stage is bringing on national censorship.

GUEST OF HONOR.

Father Gillis was guest of honor at the guild's monthly meeting in the Knights of Columbus clubhouse, and he devoted his talk to a gathering of 300 actors to the immorality of the stage and the imminence of censorship." He asserted:

"Not only the so-called Puritans and the churches, but also newspaper editors galore are agreed, and even people on the stage are saying what they said about the brewing business, one two, and three years before prohibition.

"Even brewers in those days were sending out the word, 'Behave, behave, or you'll bring down upon us national prohibition.' But in spite of the warning the saloons still sold to soldiers in uniform. The result was that national prohibition was brought down upon us all."

READS HEARST EDITORIAL

Father Gillis then produced a sheaf of newspaper clippings discussing censorship in the theater, and first among them he read a recent editorial by William Randolph Hearst, warning the stage to adopt voluntary censorship before it is forced upon the theaters.

When he had finished reading the clippings, he declared:

"This paganism we see on the stage today makes us just as pagan as they were in the days of Justinian and Nero.

"It is quite obvious to any one with his eyes and ears open that there will be national censorship inflicted on the stage unless it mends its ways. It must clean up or be cleaned up. It must sweep away the filth or the Board of Health will play a hose upon it.

WOULD BE CALAMITY.

"The decent people of the stage are really trembling lest censorship be invoked in some way. National censorship of the stage would be a calamity.

"What is this realism of the stage today? The theels, in substance, is that we must not blink at the facts. We want 'strong meat,' they say, and 'Let's have strong stuff.'

"But that's hypocrisy. They really don't want to see life as it is."

Donald Brian, musical comedy actor, presided at the meeting.

Yuletide Cheer Goes With American's Basket Fund Goodies to Homes of Needy

GOOD THINGS FOR THE NEEDY POOR of Greater Boston are in the offing. Into homes of thousands cheer will enter with the spirit of Yuletide, all packed in a basket from the Boston Evening American Christmas Basket Fund. Last night in the warehouse of the Economy Grocery Stores on D st., South Boston, a score of men went to work packing these baskets. Sometime on Monday the packing will be finished. A fleet of trucks will rush these goodies to the door of needy poor in Boston and vicinity. Each basket will contain a turkey, dozen oranges, two loaves of bread, half-pound coffee, two pounds sugar, half peck potatoes, pound of candy and canned goods—including corn, peas, tomatoes, string beans, baked beans and squash. Charles Littlegood, superintendent of the Economy Stores warehouse, is seen checking the American fund baskets, while Miss Lee Aronson is showing you what each basket will contain when delivered to homes of really needy people. The "Goodfellows" of Boston have made this treat possible. There is yet time to do your part. Send in your contribution.

HIRAM JOHNSON TO GO ON AIR TONIGHT

Washington, Dec. 20—Senator Hiram Johnson (R.), California, will deliver an address against American adherence to the League court in a nation-wide radio address tonight.

His speech, in answer to Senator Capper who upheld the court in a radio talk last week, will be delivered over the Columbia broadcasting system beginning at 9:30.

Senator Johnston is one of the leading members of the foreign relations committee which has just decided to shelve consideration of the issue for a year.

Johnson has been opposed to American adherence to the court ever since the question has been raised. He fought it before the Senate four years ago because the court is a creature of the League of Nations, and entrance by the United States into the court would be a back door entrance into the league.

He will tell how the Root formula and the revised statutes of the court fail to meet the objections to advisory opinions delivered by the court at the request of the League of Nations and its members.

PRIZE WALTZ AT OLD TIME DANCE

Lilting waltz tunes and lively polops so popular with dancers in bygone years will come into their own again next Tuesday night when an Old Timers' dance will be held, in Roseland Ballroom at Norway st. and Massachusetts ave. in aid of the Christmas Basket Fund of the Boston Evening American.

And those who were adept at glide waltzing in the old days will have another opportunity to show their pieces in the contest. Prizes of two hand-painted wall placques will be awarded to the winners.

Dan Moriarty, manager of the Roseland Ballroom, has arranged a program just suited to the fancy of old-timers and an enjoyable evening is in store for those who, by their attendance, will help the needy families of Greater Boston.

McMullin's orchestra, formerly featured in Crescent Gardens, has donated its services to the Basket Fund and will play a lengthy program of favorite old tunes.

Several in Peril When Truck Skids

Several pedestrians escaped injury today when a large U. S. army truck jumped the curb at Washington st. and Marlboro st., after skidding on the wet pavement. Privates Per Markham, McLeod, driver, escaped injury.

Chance to Spread Christmas Joy Held Out to All

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displayed by those who receive baskets.

Such unfortunate persons, for example, as the following:

A Roxbury woman who writes:

"Trusting someone will come to my aid as they read your wonderful paper, as I have been sick for some time with heart trouble and my husband gets very little. We can scarcely pay our rent, much less for proper food for the body, which for lack of I am ebbing away fast.

"Our family consists of four, A boy, 13, is in need of clothing to wear to school. I will be glad for something warm, as our place is very cold and our underwear is poor.

"Trusting if I should be alive for Christmas that you will be so kind to remember us and give us a Christmas basket, as we had a very poor Thanksgiving. May God bless you and your co-workers in your kind heart toward mankind."

LIVE IN TWO ROOMS

Or the woman in South Boston, mother of four children, the oldest less than seven years and the youngest only three weeks. She has a poor kitchen stove that is inadequate to heat even two rooms, the rest being shut off for the winter, except for uncomfortable sleeping.

On that recent zero night the mother slept in a chair, giving her own bed to the children, one of whom is just recovering from whooping cough and another from pneumonia. The mother owes $7 for a store bill and can get no more credit.

Goodfellow—you'd win $7 and more in one poker hand. You can kick in something to alleviate misery such as this.

"I had to borrow two cents for a stamp for this letter," the mother ends.

Rally 'round, Goodfellows. The final drive is starting. No matter how small your donation, it is welcome. And if you can give generously—give.

Boston Youth Is Ordained in R. I.

Cumberland, R. I., Dec. 20 (AP)—Robert Egan, formerly of Boston, was ordained in the priesthood today in the first ordination ever held at the Cistercian monastery of Our Lady of the Valley. The ordination took place at a pontifical low mass conducted by Rt. Rev. W. A. Hickey, bishop of Providence, assisted by Rev. Thomas Collins and Rev. Barnard Leanon of Providence Cathedral. Father Egan, a former student at Boston College, will celebrate his first high mass at the monastery New Year's Day.

Autoist Sued for Damage to Train

Manchester, N. H., Dec. 20 (AP)—The Boston & Maine Railroad is suing to collect $300 from a motorist for damaging a railroad train in a crossing crash. The railroad company charges that Samuel Feinman of West Windham, through careless driving, caused a crossing accident in October in which two railroad cars were damaged. The cars were part of a gasoline-propelled train.

Driver Badly Hurt in Truck Crash

Lowell, Dec. 20 (AP)—A truck driven by Charles H. Giles, 32, of 12 Cottage st., Nashua, N. H., turned over in Dracut today seriously injuring the driver. He was taken to St. Joseph's hospital here where it was found he had a probable fracture of the skull and scalp lacerations.

FESS TO GO, NEW G. O. P. PLAN

Washington, Dec. 20 (INS)—The machinery of the Republican party organization, which has developed a lot of knocks during the past 10 months, is to be given a thorough overhauling soon after the first of the year.

New parts are being assembled and new policies will be instituted—all designed to give the party a running start toward the stiff fight which party leaders envision in 1932, when, it is expected, President Hoover will be a candidate to succeed himself.

Washington heard with interest today that Mr. Hoover has turned to his native California for a new chairman of the national committee. Ray Benjamin, long prominent in Republican affairs on the Pacific Coast, but comparatively little known in Eastern circles.

Announcement of Benjamin's selection and of the retirement of Senator Simeon D. Fess, whose chairmanship during the 1930 campaign has not been marked with conspicuous success, is expected soon after the holidays.

TWO ARE HELD IN SLAYING

New Britain, Ct., Dec. 20—Joseph E. White, 51, of Murray ave., Worcester, and Ernest Davis, 17, of this city, was held under $1000 bonds on a technical charge in police court today for questioning in connection with the murder last night of Gilmon Miner, about 50, proprietor of a bowling alley in the I. O. O. F. building on Arch st.

They were arrested last night, soon after the discovery of Miner's body in the entrance to the bowling alleys.

Miner was locking the doors to the alleys when three bullets were sent into his body.

Frank Howes, superintendent of the building, ran from the second floor to the street and saw Miner lying in the doorway dying. Beside him were a paper bag containing the day's receipts at the bowling alley and several packages, wrapped in Christmas paper, addressed to his wife in Fitchburg, Mass.

Medical Examiner John Purney said powder marks on the victim indicated the gun had been fired at close range.

Magic Glasses Stolen, Healer Can't Cure Self

Poona, India, Dec. 20 (AP)—Death from a broken heart, "superinduced by a belief that God had deprived him of the divine power of healing," was the extraordinary verdict rendered by a coroner today in the strange and mysterious case of James Brandon, a former resident of Nashville, Tenn. Brandon, who in later life devoted himself to asceticism, occultism and mystic healing, was found dead a week ago in the squalid cave in which he lived, close by an old Hindu temple.

MAKES A FORTUNE

Evidence brought out at the inquest today showed that Brandon, who came to India 15 years ago, amassed a fortune by treating the sick lame, halt and blind with herbs, mystic potions and magic prayers.

On his deathbed, it was testified, he complained he had lost his occult power a few weeks ago because his "God-given specs" had been stolen.

"Through the spectacles I was able to see God," witnesses at the inquest said Brandon told them, "and through the spectacles God allowed me to see causes of my patients' diseases, and showed me how to cure them. Now, without them, I am helpless even to heal my own malady or to save myself from death."

It was revealed that a short time ago some youths, as a practical joke, raided Brandon's banyan tree hut, stealing all his property, including the spectacles.

Although Brandon later offered a reward of 2000 rupees (about $1000) for the return of the glasses, they never turned up.

BODY IS BURNED

Brandon upon his death bed ordered that his body should be burned on a funeral pile of sacred sandalwood, and his ashes given to his Brahmin friends. His Hindu associates carried out his wishes.

The American recluse is declared by his Hindu friends to have achieved many miraculous cures. Sufferers of all faiths came to him from many parts of India, and he became known as the "American Buddha." Outside his tiny hut, made of leaves, long lines of broken humanity could be seen daily seeking his supposed supernatural powers of healing.

Police are now trying to find a claimant among Brandon's relatives for the substantial bank account which he left.

FIRE TRUCK HITS AUTO; 1 HURT

Ladder 2 of the Waltham fire department and a sedan crashed in Maple st., near Adams st., today, wrecking both vehicles and causing injuries to Simon J. Rennie of Bark st., Waltham, driver of the sedan.

Robert Hoffses, driver of the fire truck, swerved to avoid hitting a truck and his machine skidded into the sedan, which was driven into a tree. Rennie complained of shock and bruises and was treated by a doctor living nearby. The firemen received slight injuries.

The fire was in the block at Main and Birch sts., starting in the delicatessen store of Peter Peppas and spreading to the Kearin hardware store and the Waltham Tire Exchange. Damage was estimated at $2000. The fire started in a coffee percolator.

High School Boy Saves Two in Fire

Lowell, Dec. 20 (AP)—Roland Leland, 18-year-old high school student, today proved himself a hero. Young Theiland twice climbed a water spout to the second floor of a burning house in which a mother and daughter were trapped. First he brought Mrs. Hyman Lass to safety and then their daughter, Florence, 12, who was unconscious from smoke. Fire Chief James C. Sullivan said the rescue was one of the finest in many years.

Engagement of Eudoxia Is Denied

Sofia, Bulgaria, Dec. 20 (AP)—From an authoritative source an emphatic denial was issued today of reports that the Princess Eudoxia was betrothed to King Zogu of Albania.

BILL IS FILED TO BAN MERGERS

Rep. Leo M. Birmingham of Brighton has filed a bill to prohibit future consolidation or merger of gas or electric operating or holding companies unless special authorization has been obtained from the Legislature.

At the same time the minority floor leader of the House filed a measure to change the existing law with regard to the establishment of municipal lighting plants.

This proposed legislation would permit a community, which has voted to establish a plant, if it fails within 150 days to agree with the local company as to terms of the purchase, to take steps towards the establishment or acquisition of a plant.

Turkeys of All Varieties Are Here, Even Russian

Turkeys are in the market, big turkeys, small ones, native birds and Russian. Some are fresh, some are frozen, but they'll all look pretty much the same after Christmas dinner.

The best turkeys are averaging 50c, a pound retail today. These are native birds, hand plucked. Fancy Minnesotas and Vermonters are selling at between 50c and 55c. Frozen Russian birds, which are very meaty, bring about the same price. Cold storage birds can be bought anywhere from 33c. to 45c.

According to market men, the average family is buying a 10 pound bird, and 45 cents seems to be the general price people are paying.

For people who cannot afford a turkey, the market offers duck and geese. Best grade poultry in both cases costs about 28 and 30 cents for the pound. Ducks weighing five pounds or thereabouts are the best to favor and meatiness. Delicious geese tip the scale at 9 to 10 pounds.

Bandit, Trapped in Flight, Shot Down

New York, Dec. 20 (AP)—While Christmas streamers rippled above him, an unidentified bandit shot it out with four policemen in a hallway at W. 44th st and Sixth ave., early today. He's dead.

As he dashed from a holdup of two restaurant employes on 44th st., police trapped him in the hallway. He fired one shot and they fired one each.

Maniac Holds 2000 at Bay, Kills Self

Perpignan, France, Dec. 20 (AP)—The Senegalese soldier See Da, who ran amuck, killing three persons and wounding four and then holding 2000 troops at bay for many hours, was found dead, a suicide, today. He shot himself in the head while all of the garrison at Fort Serrat were besieging him with bombs, rifles and tear gas.

Seventeen Saved as Ships Crash

Yarmouth, Eng., Dec. 20 (AP)—Seventeen men comprising the crew of the Aberdeen freighter, Glen Derry, were brought into this port today by the freighter Hepworth, which had rammed the Glen Derry and sunk during the night in a heavy fog.

Bandits Get $15,000 in 4-Minute Holdup

New York, Dec. 20 (AP)—In a four-minute holdup of the Amsterdam ave. branch of the Seward National Bank and Trust Co. today, three men disarmed a special policeman and a teller, lined 18 persons against a wall and escaped with cash estimated between $12,000 and $15,000.

Chinese Troops Kill 200 "Reds" in Battle

Shanghai, Dec. 20 (AP)—Chinese press dispatches received here today said 200 Communists were killed when Nationalist government forces captured the "Red" stronghold of Pingkiang, in northeastern Hunan Province.

Tests on Rabbits Bare Serum Cure for Pneumonia

By GOBIND BEHARI LAL
Universal Service Science Editor

New York, Dec. 20—Rabbits suffering from pneumonia, usually fatal, due to pneumococci "type 3," have been successfully treated with an anti-serum, especially prepared for this type of infection.

Thus hope can be entertained for a possible anti-serum treatment of type 3 pneumonia in human cases, although up to this time this disease has defied serum treatments.

LITTAUER FUND AIDS

Elizabeth L. Watson and Georgia Cooper are the scientists who have done the experiments at research laboratories of the New York health department. They are partially aided financially by the New York University Littauer Pneumonia Fund.

These scientists first produced severe pneumonia in a number of rabbits, by inoculating these animals with pneumonia germs of "Type 3," derived from strains taken from human patients.

UNTREATED RABBITS DIE

Some of the rabbits, about 18, were left untreated. They all died. Another similar group was treated with an anti-serum 24 hours after the disease had set in, following germ innoculation. In these animals the disease symptoms were checked and the animals recovered.

The serum was a highly concentrated type of three pneumonia germs. Strain was injected into the horse, and following his immunization the anti-serum had been prepared.

The significance of these favorable experiments seems to be that suitable doses of a concentrated antiserum for type three might prove curative in human cases. But human experiments still remain to be carried.

Fire $200,000 Shot at Unemployment

ARTHUR REILLY SAML. SILVERMAN JEREMIAH BURKE LOUIS K. ROURKE

FRANK A. GOODWIN MAYOR CURLEY MRS. ELIZ. W. PIGEON STEPHEN SLEEPER

EXPENDITURE OF $200,000 during the next nine working days of the month on school repairs and alterations was authorized at this meeting of city officials in City Hall yesterday. Present were, front row, left to right, Frank A. Goodwin, chairman of finance commission; Mayor James M. Curley; Mrs. Elizabeth W. Pigeon, school committee, and Stephen Sleeper, department of school buildings. Rear row, left to right, Arthur Reilly, school committee; Samuel Silverman, corporation counsel; Jeremiah Burke, superintendent of schools, and Louis K. Rourke, superintendent of school construction. (Staff photo.)

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Stage ✦ Screen ✦ Music

CHRISTMAS IS CHEERY INDEED

By NICHOLAS YOUNG

THESE ARE the theater's dull days. Even in good old times, the drama invariably responded to holiday good cheer by setting up first class lamentations. There was no good cheer! Actors were prevailed upon to take Christmas vacations without pay, or were expected to practice the arts at half salary. Theaters were closed and the public left to such modest diversions as shopping and an occasional night off with the cinema.

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ALL THIS has been the rigid rule of the theater ever since the days of the Wilbur Opera company and Haverley's Minstrels. Except for occasional and discriminate ventures in the drama, rarely has there been any great manifestation of Yuletide blessing. The theater survived, of course, because these were but seasonal lapses—not to be enjoyed, naturally, but manfully withstood with the fortitude that senses better times just around the corner. For that matter, the local playgoer is not to be left high and dry this approaching Christmas week. In this town he never has been.

Nicholas Young

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IN SPITE of the holiday distractions in the market places, the new week will have more than its full of good theatrical fare. Business may be as bad as reported by the plodding wayfarer along the Rialto, but there are few signs of it in the week's bulletin. While a year ago there were six playhouses bidding for customers against the opportunities of rival shops, this season's spalling collapse of the drama numbers five. This would be a fair showing in any kind of weather.

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THE NEW WEEK brings two outstanding attractions to town and two more that may well be regarded as something to be taken without pain. Naturally, the appearance of Ethel Barrymore in blackface in "Scarlet Sister Mary" takes first call on the inveterate first-nighter. The prospect presents enlivening possibilities for with all of our intense admiration for Miss Barrymore and her fine variety of talents, we have never been able to successfully envisage her as a lady of color practicing forbidden arts.

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INTEREST in Miss Barrymore's play may be expected to center in some degree upon the new generation of Barrymores now testing untried abilities, Ethel Colt Barrymore, charming daughter, is a member of her mother's company.

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ANOTHER HOLIDAY temptation is "Strictly Dishonorable" which does this old town great service by being responsible for the reopening of the Colonial. The first performance will be given on Christmas night. With a record of more than 500 consecutive nights in New York this comedy moves upon Boston stem of with every natural expectation of remaining quite a spell. For two seasons, it has been Broadway's best and most prosperous investment. It comes to Boston at exactly the right moment.

New Plays Come Trooping in as the Merry Bells Jingle on Smiling Santa's Sled

VIOLET COOPER

VIOLET KEMBLE COOPER will be seen in "The Apple Cart" at the Tremont Dec. 29.

ETHEL BARRYMORE

MISS BARRYMORE stars in "Scarlet Sister Mary," opening at the Wilbur Monday night.

FLOBELLE FAIRBANKS

MISS FAIRBANKS is among the clever performers in Brock Pemberton's comedy production, "Strictly Dishonorable," which will have its opening at the Colonial Christmas night.

VIOLET HEMING

MISS HEMING opens at the Majestic in "Ladies All" at the Majestic Tuesday night.

ENID MARKEY

MISS MARKEY plays in "Sisters of the Chorus," coming to the Lyric Monday night.

Romance

ELOISE STREAM

MISS STREAM is one of the talented players in "Rebound" at the Copley next Friday.

CLASS KEY TO STAGE SHOW

The new vaudeville show at Loew's Orpheum is marked by the distinction of each offering on the bill. Jack Sidney and his clever dancing divertissement in "big top" atmosphere, leads the attractions. Every style of dancing is embraced in the presentation and the youthful stars who take part display great skill at the art. Sidney, himself, scores heavily with his song and dance versatility.

Slapstick comedy that is a hilarious hit is the contribution of the comic Abe Reynolds and two droll sides. Gene Martinis "Accordiana" adds piano-accordion melody to the bill. Keno Bros. comedians, are responsible for much humor and many laughs and the two Dixie Stars perform some amazing equilibristic stunts.

Added features include a new Boy Friends' comedy, "Blood and Thunder," and Hearst Metrotone News.

NEW WORKS BY STRAVINSKY ARE HEARD

By MOSES SMITH

Serge Koussevitzky returned to conduct the Boston Symphony in Saturday's concert, after more than a week of illness, and forthwith the elaborate 50th anniversary ceremonies were resumed.

Specifically, the orchestra, with the help of the Cecilia Society Chorus (trained by Arthur Fiedler) performed Stravinsky's new "Symphonie de Psaumes," composed for the occasion. Curiously, this latest work of one of the greatest composers in the world was performed yesterday for the first time in America, but not in the world, for Brussels heard it last week.

The same composer's Capriccio for Piano and Orchestra was also played yesterday for the first time in America, with Jesus Maria Sanroma as soloist. Although but a year separates the creation of these two scores, they are centuries apart in style. The Capriccio is a continuation of Stravinsky's neoclassic style, with which he has been pre-occupied for the last decade, though there are more than traces of nonconformist diablerie. The Symphony, on the other hand, employing three psalms from the Vulgate for texts, is a return to the barbaric rites of "Sacre de Printemps" that revolutionized the world of music. Although it is unfair to express such an opinion after a single hearing, Stravinsky seems to us to have been influenced here by the work of his junior contemporary and countryman, Prokofiev.

Mozart's Symphony in G minor began, and Schonberg's arrangement of Bach's Organ Prelude and Fugue in E-flat ended, a concert about which much might be written.

"Part Time Wife" Now on Screen at the Met

"Part Time Wife" is at the Metropolitan, featuring Edmund Lowe and Lelia Hyams. Lowe thinks his wife is spending too much time at the golf course. Their quarrel leads to a separation, after which his health breaks down. Lowe's doctor orders him to take up golf. Miss Hyams as the bride is ready to return to Lowe. When he learns she has been posing for lingerie ads, the old quarrel is resumed, while a caddy and golf collaborate to patch things up, thus forming the story.

Movie Clock

Feature photoplays in the picture theaters and their starting times today are as follows:

UPTOWN—"Sunny"; p. m., 1:44, 3:43, 5:46, 7:47, 9:48.

PARK—"Unmasked"; a. m., 9:05, 11:36; p. m., 2:07, 4:36, 7:05 9:40.

BOWDOIN — "Remote Control"; a. m., 9:35; p. m., 1:40, 3:55, 9:10.

STATE—"War Nurse"; p. m., 12:59, 3:55, 5:20, 7:55, 9:50.

METROPOLITAN—"Part Time Wife"; a. m., 11:11; p. m., 1:11, 4:11, 5:30, 8, 10:30.

BEACON AND MODERN—"The Gorilla"; a. m., 10:05, 12:36; p. m., 2:10, 5:15, 7:35, 9:58.

RKO KEITH—"Kismet"; a. m., 10:05; p. m., 12:23, 2:43, 5:03, 7:23, 9:43.

WASHINGTON ST OLYMPIA "Sunny"; a. m., 9:30, 11:35; p. m., 1:35, 3:40, 5:40, 7:40, 9:45.

SCOLLAY — "Rivers End"; a. m., 11:33; p. m., 2:57, 6:40, 10:06.

ORPHEUM—"The Bat Whispers"; a. m., 9:15; p. m., 12:15, 3:30, 6:30, 9:30.

RKO KEITH BOSTON—"Way of All Men"; a. m., 10:25, p. m., 1:55, 4:25, 7:55, 10:25.

ACTRESS CALLED ON TO TELL IT TO WORLD IN "GULLAH"

By DANIEL REED

Who Dramatized "Scarlet Sister Mary," at the Wilbur

Our burnt cork minstrel man gave us a dialect impression that has for so long stood as the standard of Negro speech. No Negro ever talked this way, but the bulk of white theater audiences didn't know that. But, at last, an honest rendering is being given the various reproductions of "black speech" in this country. And audiences are rapidly becoming discriminating and exacting.

True, the real Africa speech and dialects cannot be generally used in the theater where a large public attends. No white man or northern Negro would understand what the average backwoods darky was saying if they hear him as is. So there has to be a modification of his speech, a modification based on the real. It must be suggestive of the actual intonal quality, speech rhythm, and word pronunciation. It should never distort. It should rather clarify. That is all.

Daniel Reed

The most interesting of all Negro dialects, is, perhaps, the "Gullah." So much has been said in the last ten years about it, and so honest have been the presentations of it both in the academic and the art worlds, that a great many people are acquainted with its peculiarities and its charm.

Different fine writers have used different ways of transmuting black thoughts to readers. But the writers of Gullah dialect have a more formalized and prescribed dialect to handle. This accounts for the evenness in the quality of South Carolina writers who use modifications of the Gullah speech in their works—a speech they overhear in the sections close to the Carolina coast all the way from Waccamaw Neck to Lady's Island. There are variations in the different localities, but the root speech is the same and the Negroes in these sections seem to have preserved their African linguistic qualities more than any other class of blacks living in a white society. They seem the least contaminated.

Perhaps, most careful and insistent upon an honest reproduction of the black quality of speech and manners in the theater is Miss Ethel Barrymore who is directing her own production of "Scarlet Sister Mary," Julia Peterkin's Pulitzer prize novel.

Miss Barrymore is sensitive to the strange subtleties of Gullah dialect and in her various contacts with the Negroes who use it she has acquired a true knowledge of it.

Every Line Is a Real Laugh

GEORGE HASSELL

UP AT THE SHUBERT that sterling comedian, George Hassell, uncorks bottles of merriment as he aids Queenie Smith in "The Street Singer." The sketch is by Artist Charles Schmidt.

LIKE BUBBLES IS SPIRIT OF THE DRAMA

By ANTOINETTE PERRY

Tempo that proportion of spoken word and suspended word and suspended action which will produce the most effective result.

If it must be reduced to words, the co-director of "Strictly Dishonorable" the comedy coming to the Colonial for an engagement beginning Christmas night would define something like that elusive thing called "tempo." I happen to be that co-director myself.

Tempo isn't speed alone. It's a dozen things. It's balance. It's sureness. It's maintaining, carrying over from speech to speech an evanescent, perilously fragile thing that, if it's there, will hold an audience literally breathing in rhythm with the movement of the play—and, if it's lost, is almost impossible to recapture.

"Strictly Dishonorable," for instance:

It's like bubbles, that type of play. You must keep them floating, keep new bubbles following. If they drop, they're gone forever.

If a play drops it isn't always the fault of the actor who doesn't pick up his cue. It's equally the fault of the actor with the line before, who doesn't make a little bridge of expectancy to lead over to the next speech.

I never get over being amazed at audiences. Think—they've paid money to come in; they've paid for something they haven't seen. They have come with a faith that we are going to give them something.

I like to watch them: feel them lifting with the play, becoming part of it; literally breathing with the play's rhythm. And they will do that, too, if the director and the actors are doing their share.

Viennese Dancer Will Be Seen in Jordan Hall

Hans Wiener, celebrated Viennese dancer, is to give a program in Jordan Hall Wednesday evening, Jan. 7. He is an exponent of the new German movement in the art of the dance. The keynote of his technique is complete subjugation of body rhythm to music. With equal finesse he dances to the music of Bach, DeBussy, Rimsky-Korsakoff or Stravinsky. Hans Wiener is to be assisted by his own dance group of girls and by Otto Aschermann.

Week's Films

LOEW'S STATE—Robert Montgomery and June Walker in "War Nurse."

RKO KEITH'S—Otis Skinner and Loretta Young in "Kismet."

UPTOWN AND OLYMPIA—Marilyn Miller in "Sunny."

METROPOLITAN — Edmund Lowe and Lelia Hyams in "Part Time Wife."

RKO KEITH BOSTON—Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., in "Way of All Men."

LOEW'S ORPHEUM—Chester Morris and Una Merkel in "The Bat Whispers."

SCOLLAY AND FENWAY—Marlene Dietrich and Gary Cooper in "Morocco."

PARK—"Wild Men of Kalihari" and "Unmasked."

MODERN AND BEACON—Lita Lee in "The Gorilla."

WINS PLACE IN THE SUN AT LAST

By HARLEIGH SCHULTZ

NOW WOMAN GETS her place in the film sun of wartime derring-do. In all other pictures of things that were done "over there," man had his day; "War Nurse," feature photoplay given its premiere at Loew's State, yesterday, accords womankind its share of the glories and hardships of those days "somewhere in France." It is a triumph of realism, and a personal triumph for Edgar Selwyn, the director.

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THIS IS MR. SELWYN'S second venture in talkiedom. From his stage training he has brought keenest insight to bear upon the double play of camera and microphone. Deft indeed is his hand. He works cannily. In portrayal of war's horror a his stroke is sweeping and effective. And yet, if at times he lays heavy hand upon his "canvas," he suddenly re-establishes our mental balance by exquisite touches, notably well done and unforgettably pleasing. That he has forged so well in a field out of which have come so many war pictures, is high, tribute to his ability; he weaves in new threads, gives us a film that grips the interest, holds himself faithful to the actual, and still gives wide swing to the imagination.

Edgar Selwyn

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THOSE WHO READ the anonymously written serial on which the picture is based will have no fault to find with the screen transcription. Mr. Selwyn's fidelity is closer than has been the lot of most works of this sort. He has even aided the original narrative, and which pleasurably varies the grimmer passages.

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THE ROLE OF "BABS" is in the hands of the talented June Walker. This is her movie debut; she meets the test. Her characterization is excellently done. The always good Zasu Pitts is Cushie; Anita Page does well as Joy. Of the men in the cast the honors fall to Robert Ames and Robert Montgomery; the latter as Wally and the former as Robin. The production is a sterling one, labeled Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer.

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FROM THE LOEW offices comes announcement of another "Loew's January Festival," based upon the success of the initial venture 11 months ago. Among the pictures the State and Orpheum are to have next month are: "Inspiration," with Greta Garbo; "The New Moon," with Grace Moore and Lawrence Tibbett; "Hell's Angels," for the first time at popular prices; "Reducing," starring Marie Dressler and Polly Moran; and "Devil to Pay," with Ronald Colman.

Comedy

LEILA HYAMS

MISS HYAMS appears in the farcical comedy, "Part Time Wife," at the Metropolitan.

FATE WEAVES THE CLOTH

There has been discussion as to the meaning of "Kismet," the title of the famous play, which as a photoplay, starring Otis Skinner, is now held at the RKO Keith's for another week.

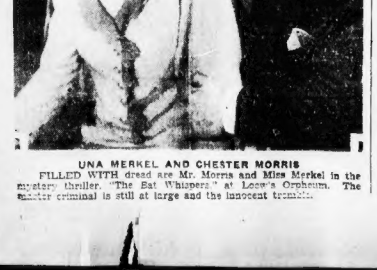
"Kismet" (or "qismet") means destiny, or fate. An Oriental, learning that his daughter has run off with a person below her caste, will say, "It was her Kismet," meaning that it was her fate and beyond her control. Nearly all the Eastern people are fatalists, and one of the reasons why they have become known as philosophical and self-contained is because they excuse the greatest catastrophies as being "Kismet."

It isn't so much that they feel that what is done is already done and there is no recalling it—which would come under the name of philosophy—but the Koran tells them that Allah has preordained their lives.

Scollay Vaudeville

On the Scollay stage starting Monday, the vaudeville bill will be headed by a Boston comedian, Benny Drohn, who with Marty Dupree will be seen in a comedy sketch by Fred Allen. Also from Boston, on the bill is Mabel Albertson and Betty and Jerry Brown, the champion "Scollayettes." Bennie Fairbanks and Large and Morgner are on the bill.

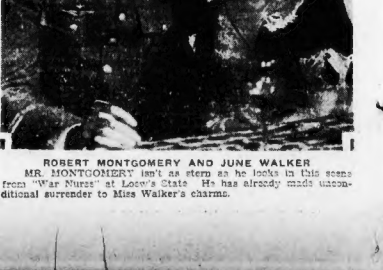
Fear Hath Four Wheel Brakes



UNA MERKEL AND CHESTER MORRIS

FILLED WITH dread are Mr. Morris and Miss Merkel in the mystery thriller, "The Bat Whispers," at Loew's Orpheum. The master criminal is still at large and the innocent tremble.

Youth Had Its Fling in Wartime



ROBERT MONTGOMERY AND JUNE WALKER

MR. MONTGOMERY isn't as stern as he looks in this scene from "War Nurse" at Loew's State. He has already made unconditional surrender to Miss Walker's charms.

Stage Screen Music

HOWARD HUGHES TO GET D'ARRAST AS DIRECTOR

By LOUELLA O. PARSONS
Motion Picture Editor for Universal Service
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LOS ANGELES, Dec. 20—You can count on Howard Hughes to pick the live ones. That boy just naturally has a penchant for getting good directors. Didn't he get Lewis Milestone for "Front Page"? And now listen to this piece of news. Harry D'Arrast, who has been spending his vacation with his mother in Paris, returns to New York to make a picture for Paramount. As soon as he finishes that he comes to California to make a picture for Howard Hughes.

Harry is no dumbbell. From past experiences he knows if he wants a success like "Laughter" he has to do things his own way. He has no intention of leaving Howard Hughes in the middle of a picture, as he has done with other producers when they failed to agree on story treatment. So listen carefully, Harry's contract specifically states that he shall not direct any picture for which he has no sympathy. In other words, the story must be mutually agreeable to Harry and Howard.

Louella O. Parsons

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Do you read Vina Delmar? She is the girl who has written innumerable flapper yarns and innumerable stories about girls who leave the straight and narrow path. Miss Delmar has a nice, easy style and is, I suppose, one of our best exponents of modern novel writing. Her "Bad Girl" has been acquired by Fox. It was dramatized and is now running as a stage play in New York. Paul Kelly, for whom so many theatrical and movie folk had sympathy when he was sentenced to San Quentin, is playing the lead. I don't know what players will do it in New York. The purchase of the novel shows the confidence of the times. Speaking of that, Warner Brothers have changed the title of "Ex-Mistress" to "Beauty and the Boss."

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So much successful experimenting has been done by Warner Brothers with directors and actors who have never had outstanding successes that it is interesting to know that John Adolfi will direct George Arliss in "The Ruling Passion." I don't mean to infer that John Adolfi isn't a good director nor an inexperienced one. He has been directing pictures ever since I can remember, but my writing reviews for the old Morning Telegraph and I am mighty glad that he is to have an chance for if he makes a good Arliss picture we will be hearing more about him. Again I was hromidio and say nothing succeeds like success.

George Arliss

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I know that Eleanor Boardman is one of the best looking young women in Hollywood and I know that everybody says that her performance in "The Great Meadow" at Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer will bring her back as one of our leading actresses. Some of the smart boys at Columbia having had a little inside information on her work in "The Great Meadow" have signed her to play the lead in "The Flood" with James Tinling directing. John Holland and Monte Blue have the male leads. Remember we said Eleanor was heading the scenario.

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When the history of Palm Springs is written and one day some one will write it, God willing, we will make no mention all of the scenarios that have been written in the desert quietness. Sheehan and Raoul Walsh are taking James Gleason to Palm Springs for the week-end. Mr. Gleason is to write "Women of All Nations" for Raoul, and the three of them will gather together and work out the scenario. This is the next Captain Flagg and Sergeant Quirk number with Victor McLaglen in his usual role and Eddie Lowe ditto. This time Greta Nissen is the naughty, naughty vamp.

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SNAPSHOTS OF HOLLYWOOD COLLECTED AT RANDOM: AL LEVY'S restaurant competitors sending him sheaves of flowers for the opening of his Hollywood restaurant. EVELYN BRENT glimpsed at this momentous occasion. MARCO and IRVING HELLMAN, popular bankers, patronizing their old friend, AL LEVY and his partner, JOHN MANN. EUGENE STARK, rival restaurateur, attending the opening. VICTOR MATURE discussing the best way to disguise his handsome features for the disfigured doctor in "Doctors' Wives." MRS. RICHARD BARTHELMESS lunching at the Embassy. GENE MARKEY at another table lunching with friends the same day. JEANETTE MacDONALD taking a throat treatment to get herself in readiness for her next talkie. That's all today. See your Monday.

Looking Ahead

DECEMBER 29—
Grace George in "The First Mrs. Fraser" at the Plymouth.
Bernard Shaw's "The Applecart" at the Tremont.
JANUARY 5—
"Artists and Models" at the Shubert.
"June Moon" at the Wilbur.

FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH FOR THE MIND

Perhaps because of his mischievous, Panlike countenance, Bernard Shaw is usually thought of as an ageless soul whom the years don't touch. As a matter of fact, he is 74, an age when most men have retired for the remainder of their lives. But Shaw goes merrily along producing new plays, new articles, new novels and most anything else that comes from his pen onto that strange, green note paper which litters his work desk. He has no idea of retiring. Retiring? Ridiculous. He is planning his work on a definite program for years ahead.

In the 40 years of his intense activity Shaw has produced 40 plays, and his newest one, "The Apple Cart," will be presented at the Tremont on Monday night, December 29, for an engagement of two weeks. When this one was produced in Warsaw, at the Malvern festival in Wales, in London and in New York, it came with a certain degree of surprise, for there was a notion that he was through with dramatic works.

Practically anything is expected of Shaw, however, so the surprise element did not last long. And to prevent his admirers from sweltering under too much suspense, Shaw has explained that he will follow "The Apple Cart" with another play.

NOVELTIES IN MUSIC FEST

Several novelties will be included in the program of the Candle-Light concert to be given by the 18th Century Symphony Orchestra in Jordan Hall on Monday evening, Jan. 12. Among these are the Vivaldi Concerto, arranged by John Sebastian Bach for four pianos and orchestra (first time in Boston); "Siciliana," by Boccherini (first time in Boston); Canzona and Fuga," by Frescobaldi; "Sonato IV," by Pergolesi, for flute, oboe, bassoon and piano (first time in Boston); "Passacaglia" from the opera "Armida," by Lulli; and "Air Tendre and Air Fugue," from "La Deserinieri" of the "Concerts Royaux," by Francis Couperin.

Heinrich Gebhard will be the soloist in the Mozart's Concerto in C major for piano and orchestra. In the Vivaldi Concerto, the four soloists will be Mr. Gebhard, Constance Morse, Ethel Hutchinson and Reginald Boardman.

The orchestra and soloists will be in former concert wear. Colonial costumes and play by candle light.

The New Plays

WILBUR—Ethel Barrymore in "Scarlet Sister Mary," a play by Daniel Reed from the novel by Julia Peterkin. Produced by Lee Shubert.

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LYRIC—"Sisters of the Chorus," a comedy by Martin Mooney and Thompson Burtis. Produced by Lester Bryant.

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MAJESTIC (Starting Tuesday)—Walter Woolf and Violet Heming in "Ladies All," an American version of Prince Bibesco's comedy. Adaptation by Elmer Rice. Produced by Lee Shubert.

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COLONIAL (Starting Thursday)—"Strictly Dishonorable," a comedy by Preston Sturges. The amusing story of an unsophisticated girl from Yokum, Miss., and her adventures in a New York speakeasy. Staged by Antoinette Perry; produced by Brock Pemberton.

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COPLEY (Starting Friday)—"Rebound," a comedy by Donald Ogden Stewart. First presentation by the newly organized Copley Players. Staged by F. Cowles Strickland.

Beauty and Talent Blend to Make the Screen Luring

LORETTA YOUNG AND OTIS SKINNER
MR. SKINNER and Miss Young see only happiness ahead. They're in "Kismet," held over at RKO Keith's for a second week. Mr. Skinner has his famous stage role of the Bagdad beggar.

C. AUBREY SMITH AND MARION DAVIES
MISS DAVIES is alluring love itself in this scene with Mr. Smith from the blonde star's latest picture, "The Bachelor Father." The film will come soon to Loew's State.

Mutual Burlesque Shows

Gayety

Joan Lee, the personality girl, scored such a hit at the Gayety last week that in response to the demands made for her retention Manager Max Michaels persuaded her to remain another week. She will appear in addition to the full roster of "Novelties of 1930." A special midnight show will be another feature of the week's program. This show will start at 11:30 on Christmas Eve and will contain special features. Joan Lee will appear.

Jackie James

Jackie James is featured in "Novelties of 1930." Harry Clexx and Harry Meyers are in charge of the fun department.

Howard

For Christmas week the Old Howard will put forth a burlesque and picture bill of special worth. The burlesque organization is known as the "Let's Go" company and will introduce Evelyn Meyers. Miss Meyers is known as the "Vampire Baby." There will be two midnight shows this week, one on Christmas Eve, and the usual midnight performances on Friday night. George Douglas and Billy "Bumps" Mack will amuse, and others in the cast are Gertie Read, the Jordan sisters, Alma Montague, George Hall and Ray Parsons. The outstanding scenes are "On the Beach" and "The Carnival."

Evelyn Meyers

LITTLE CHILD SHALL LEAD

Childhood training in the theater is invaluable, according to Violet Heming, who co-stars with Walter Woolf in "Ladies All," now comedy opening at the Majestic next Tuesday night. She says:

"If the youngster is started in acting before the self-conscious stage of its development begins, the imagination of a child is so active that they are naturally perfect actors.

"Most children lose this natural quality as soon as they become conscious that there is a difference between the world they create by their imaginations, but start the child early in the theater, before it has reached that stage, and habits of naturalness are formed which give them a tremendous advantage as they go on to the more important adult parts."

Miss Heming should know whereof she speaks. She comes of a clear line of theatrical ancestry. Her father was Alfred Heming, theater owner and producer. Her mother was Mabel Allen, an English singer and the first Glory Quayle in "The Christian." Her uncles, the Hastings and the Daltons, are well known on the English stage. One is Charles Dalton, who has been in this country for several years.

Bowdoin Square

Beginning tomorrow the Bowdoin Square for the first half of the week will put forth a high-grade stage vaudeville show comprising seven RKO acts together with a picture program of special worth. The films are "Three Faces East," "Top Speed" and "High Gear." Wednesday is cabaret night with extra features. Beginning Thursday the bill will offer "Potable David," with Richard Cromwell; also "A Lady's Morals," with Wallace Beery.

Modern and Beacon

Lila Lee is leading lady of "The Gorilla," now at the Modern and Beacon. She was born on July 25, 1905, in New York city. Her real name is Augusta Apfel, and when but a child she made her debut on the stage in Gus Edward's kid revue, being billed as "Cuddles." In 1918 she entered motion pictures.

Scollay and Fenway

Marlene Dietrich may be seen at the Scollay and Fenway in "Morocco," in addition to seven acts of vaudeville. "Morocco" is a love story of the French Foreign Legion. Supporting Miss Dietrich are Gary Cooper and Adolphe Menjou.

SON IS UNLIKE THE FATHER

Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., who has the leading role in "Way of All Men, now at the RKO Keith-Boston, says he has no desire to follow in his father's footsteps. The elder Fairbanks impresses with his sheer vitality, while his son wants to carve a niche for himself as a character actor. Doug, Sr., likes to do fantastic and colorful pictures like "The Thief of Bagdad," while Doug, Jr., wants to do "L'Aiglon," tragic play of the unhappy young Napoleon.

The father is essentially an athlete, while the son is first of all a scholar.

NEEDY AIDED BY THEATER

Every child taking a useful article to the Metropolitan this morning was admitted free. These articles will be distributed to needy families by the Salvation Army.

By a useful article it was explained as meaning anything that may make Christmas happier, canned goods, food, clothing, toys, in fact anything which may be useful. Every child under 16 bringing such an article was admitted to the complete show, doors opening at 10 o'clock.

Amusements

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Writer Terms Hoover Failure as Planner

Editor Boston American:

The two big issues today in America are Unemployment and Prohibition. The evils caused by the latter are beyond imagination. It will take this country a long time to recover. Prohibition has also contributed heavily to unemployment.

Machinery and mergers are the main factors in creating idle hands. No one is sure of his job and each is on the lookout lest he be "framed" and his job given to a relative of a higher-up. Distrust reigns. Poverty breeds meanness.

The concentration of wealth is staggering. Many millionaires possess 10 to 50 millions.

President Hoover, the engineer, has failed as a planner. Perhaps the fog of the tight little isle dimmed his mental acumen. Of course he would do nothing to offend the rich rulers of America. But for the war would he now be an American?

The Methodist Board of Prohibition, Temperance and Public Morals has warned him to watch his step. They will look upon it as betrayal if he were to work for modification.

Hoover dropped the Democrats and reversed the saying to read: "I'd rather be a Republican and no President." He showed wisdom in getting away from the League of Nations, although now he favors the World Court.

Woodrow Wilson made him a legendary figure, feeding the little ones, but now he seems to devise any way to help the idle millions. Strange that he couldn't have stayed with the Democrats after they had advertised him to the world.

The Hoover administration has been a big disappointment, showing no real grasp of the current situation and no red-blooded action to prevent it or to remedy it. They drift with the stream. "Dolce far niente. The Lord's in the Heavens, all's well with the world."

Hoover may not even be renominated by the Republican party. I'm sure that the corporate interests, which are America, will not care to back a sure loser. They will trot out Coolidge, the silent Cal, who secretly seeks the nomination, playing a waiting game. Yet Coolidge cannot win again as Franklin Roosevelt will walk into the office.

P. J. L.

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

Editor Boston American:

It seems lamentable but true that we will ever have with us the busy-bodies—the persons who find time so heavy on their hands that they feel they must constitute themselves their sisters' keepers. So now do we have a group of women who have come to tell us that smoking for women is degrading and immoral.

Smoking to excess is equally harmful to man or woman and just as foolish as intemperance of eating or drinking—but it still remains a question of a person's individual taste or appetite for the cigarette and not in any sense a question of the moral standing of that man or woman.

We hear and know that times are hard, money scarce and enough help cannot be found for the poor and needy—to say nothing of the help that should be given in the way of toys, good books, clothing and other children's necessities to the thousands of crippled children in institutions and all the poor love-starved children in orphanages. Yet this newly formed organization is going to spend quantities of good money for office rent, printing literature, posters and stickers for cars to try to persuade Miss and Mrs. Smoker that smoking is degrading and immoral. Bosh—what a waste of time and money.

Of course a fanatical movement of this kind often gains momentum—thousands of women with too little to do and not enough grey matter to think independently and clearly for themselves will give their time and donations so may I suggest that this organization not neglect that territory below the Mason and Dixon line where women 70 and 80 years of age sit placidly smoking their pipes as they have done for years. They should not be left unenlightened.

In closing I would suggest that if this new group of reformers recall some of the awful effects that the enforcement of the Eighteenth Amendment has had on the lives of the men, women and children of our great nation, they would then have some idea of what their movement will accomplish.

MARGARET S. REED.

Pleads for Cash Payment of Bonus for Veterans

Editor Boston American:

It seems all hands have said their piece in regards to adjusted compensation certificates. Now to say we should have bonus paid off in cash for we could put ourselves in better positions.

The vets were good enough to do their part in put cause for other countries.

After we came home—to have prohibition put over on us. Enough of the youth of our nation gave lives over there for the U. S. A. to give us the bonus.

American citizens out of work and the non-citizen employed! Do you think that is fair? I say no! I say a non-citizen should be laid off and a citizen put to work.

Now let's get together and show the spirit of '76. Give us our rights and put us back to the standard of 1912 and then our government will save plenty of money. In 1922 our government lost plenty by sinking a fleet of warships, and also money loaned out which could of paid the bonus twice over. Another question I wish to have answered: Why is not who is compelled to forbear on the bonus must pay interest? Let England and France pay their debt to us and then we can have our cash bonus and all will be happy.

EDWARD J. LENNON.

Veteran Wants Action On Soldiers' Bonus

Editor Boston American:

A word about the soldiers' bonus. What is the matter with the American Legion that they don't wake up and do something about it, that would help to get it passed? I can't understand how they can sit back without even a word, while thousands of ex-service men are begging in the streets for the price of a cup of coffee, while the Government owes them money.

I say, as an ex-soldier, give it to them for God's sake. Give it now and don't wait for 20 years, most of them will be either dead of hunger or old age by that time. They are asking only for what belongs to them to tide them over this bad spell. Write to your Congressman at once and demand a little action.

Come on soldiers, let's go!

DANIEL J. O'BRIEN.

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8:15—WEEI—Radiotron Varieties.
8:30—WEEI—Smith Brothers.
9:00—WEEI—General Electric hour.
9:30—WNAC—Radio Forum.
10:00—WBZA—Chicago Civic Opera.
12:30—WNAC—Nocturne.

Saturday, December 20

4:00 P. M.

WLEX—Request program.
WNAC—Ann Leaf at the organ.
WEEI—News; Russo Orchestra.
WHDH—Nancy Lee.

4:15 P. M.

WBZA—Organ.

4:30 P. M.

WNAC—Spanish Serenade.

4:45 P. M.

WBZA—Air Castle.
WEEI—Gov. Winant.

5:00 P. M.

WLEX—Dance music.
WNAC—Ted and his Greater Gang.
WBZA—Uncle Bill and the Twins.
WEEI—Children's Concert.
WHDH—Northlanders.
WLOE—Dance music.

5:15 P. M.

WBZA—"We're in the Army Now."

5:30 P. M.

WLEX—French program.
WNAC—Santa Claus.
WBZA—Stock quotations.
WHDH—Broadcast to Fishermen.

5:45 P. M.

WNAC—Saturday Nighters.
WBZA—Evening Stars.
WHDH—News.

6:00 P. M.

WLEX—Variety program.
WNAC—Melodists.
WBZA—Christmas Stockings.
WEEI—Crowley and Sullivan.
WHDH—Irish Minstrels.
WLOE—Melody Revue.

6:15 P. M.

WNAC—Merrymakers.
WBZA—Riverside Ramblers.
WEEI—Black and Gold Room music.

6:30 P. M.

WLEX—American news; Feature Forecaster.
WNAC—Collegians.
WBZA—Clines' music.
WEEI—(6:35) News.
WLOE—Daily Record hour; news flashes; variety program.

6:45 P. M.

WLEX—(6:50) Stock quotations.
WNAC—Davol Book of Gems.
WBZA—Topics in Brief.
WEEI—Uncle Abe and David.

7:00 P. M.

WNAC—Mirth Quakers.
WBZA—Amos 'n' Andy.
WEEI—Ensemble.

7:15 P. M.

WLEX—(7:20) Hungry Five.
WBZA—Tastyeast Jesters.

7:30 P. M.

WLEX—Tipler.
WNAC—Necco Party.
Audrey Marsh, soprano; Larry Morphy, tenor; Harry Barbas, violinist; Russo orchestra.
WBZA—Sandy McFarlane's Chimney Swallows.
WLOE—Song Medley; contralto.

7:45 P. M.

WLEX—Getting the News, by Francis P. "Tip" O'Neill.

8:00 P. M.

WLEX—Boxing bouts.
WNAC—Chevrolet Chronicles.
WBZA—Gale Page, Richard Maxwell in ceremonies; speaker, Dwite R. Shattner; Shorevich Orchestra, direction of Frank Black and Gustave Haenschen.
WEEI—Dixie Circus.
WEEI—Tastyeast Jesters.
WLOE—Musical Maid.

8:15 P. M.

WBZA—Rin-Tin-Tin Thriller.
WEEI—Radiotron varieties.

8:30 P. M.

WNAC—Henderson Orchestra.
WBZA—Fuller Man.
WEEI—Smith Bros.
WLOE—Dance music.

8:45 P. M.

WEEI—Contralto.

9:00 P. M.

WLEX—Copley-Plaza Orchestra.
WNAC—Carborundum Band.
WBZA—Variety hour.
WEEI—General Electric hour.
Symphony concert, Walter Damrosch, conducting; "Adventures in Science," Floyd Gibbons.
WLOE—Combos; opera hour.

9:30 P. M.

WLEX—Reading and Curley.
WNAC—Radio Forum.
Speaker, Senator Hiram Johnson of California, subject, "Why the United States Should Not Join the World Court."
WBZA—Dutch Masters Minstrels.

10:00 P. M.

WLEX—American news flashes; (10:10) Grant and Miller.
WNAC—Show Boat.
WBZA—Chicago Civic Opera.
WEEI—Lucky Strike Orchestra.

11:00 P. M.

WNAC—News.
WBZA—(11:04) Clines Orchestra.
WEEI—Forecasts; news.

11:15 P. M.

WNAC—Denny music.

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8:00 P. M.

WEAN—Melodists.
WJAR—Strollers, Orchestra.
WORC—Melodists.
WTAG—Ensemble.
WCSH—Musical Moments.

8:15 P. M.

WEAN—Merrymakers.
WORC—Merrymakers.
WCSH—Songs.

8:30 P. M.

WEAN—Concert.
WJAR—Contralto.
WORC—Collegians.
WTAG—News; music.
WCSH—Musical Moments.

8:45 P. M.

WEAN—Book of Gems.
WJAR—Uncle Abe and David.
WORC—Book of Gems.
WTAG—Uncle Abe and David.
WCSH—Uncle Abe and David.

9:00 P. M.

WEAN—News.
WJAR—Jesters.
WORC—Tremains Orchestra.
WTAG—Hapmad of Adventure.
WCSH—Whyte's Music.

9:15 P. M.

WEAN—Romance of American Industry.
WJAR—Jesters.
WORC—Romance of Industry.

9:30 P. M.

WORC—Necco Party.
WJAR—Bill Stern.
WORC—Necco Party.
WTAG—Dance Hits.
WCSH—Singing Club.

9:45 P. M.

WEAN—Chevrolet Chronicles.
WJAR—Sports.
WORC—Dixie Echoes.
WTAG—Dance Ensemble.
WCSH—Salon Singers.

10:15 P. M.

WJAR—Radiotron Varieties.
WTAG—Radiotron Varieties.
WCSH—Radiotron Varieties.

10:30 P. M.

WEAN—Henderson Orchestra.
WJAR—Silver Flute.
WORC—Henderson Orchestra.
WTAG—Henderson Orchestra.
WCSH—Baxter Orchestra.

10:45 P. M.

WEAN—Organ.
WORC—Goldman Orchestra.

11:00 P. M.

WEAN—Rhodes on the Pawtuxet.
WJAR—General Electric Hour.
WORC—Rhodes on the Pawtuxet.
WCSH—Organ.

11:30 P. M.

WEAN—Radio Forum.
WORC—Radio Forum.

12:00 M.

WEAN—Lucky Strike Dance Orchestra.
WORC—Dance music.
WTAG—Lucky Strike Dance Orchestra.
WCSH—Lucky Strike Hour.

1:00 P. M.

WEAN—News.
WORC—News; music.
WTAG—News.
WCSH—News.

11:15 P. M.

WEAN—Dance music.

11:30 P. M.

WEAN—Lombardo music.
WORC—Lombardo's music.

12:00 M.

WEAN—Bert Lown's Orchestra.

1:00 A. M.

WEAN—Nocturne.

Woman Pays, Even for Engagement Ring

Chicago, Dec. 20 (AP)—Whoever coined the expression, "It's the woman who pays" was quite right about it in this particular instance. The jewelry firm that sold an engagement ring to Lester Becker, who gave it to Kathryn McMahon, of Evanston, contended there still was $80 due when the engagement broke up, and obtained a judgment in court for that amount. Kathryn paid.

$10,000,000 Added to Italy's Budget Deficit

Rome, Dec. 20 (AP)—Italy's budget deficit at the end of November amounted to 883,000,000 lire (nearly $46,500,000). The internal public debt is nearly $4,681,000,000. At the end of October the budget deficit was slightly over $38,500,000.

Former Japanese Minister Jailed

Tokyo, Dec. 20 (AP)—Ichita Kobashi, former minister of education, today was sentenced to 10 months' imprisonment following his conviction for accepting a bribe of $3000 in connection with the sale of a private railway in 1927 to the government.

Liners Crash in Black Sea

Constanza, Rumania, Dec. 20 (AP)—The severe storm continues to rage in the Black Sea. The German steamer Olympus and a Rumanian steamer were damaged in a collision near Constanza.

2 Small Banks Close

Goldsboro, N. C., Dec. 20 (AP)—Two small Goldsboro banks, both under the same management, failed to open today. Notices said its liquidation had been closed in the interests of depositors.

HEIFETZ RADIO DEBUT TOMORROW

Broadcast of Famous Violin Virtuoso Heard Locally on WBZA at 10:30 P. M.

The much awaited radio debut of one of the world's greatest violinists, Jascha Heifetz, will be heard tomorrow night over WBZA on the Slumber hour, heard at 10:30 p. m. The violin virtuoso, who has electrified audiences throughout the world, has never before broadcast, and he states that his first radio concert may also be his last.

Heifetz makes this statement on the basis that it is likely that either he or the public will be disappointed. Heifetz frankly admits that he has avoided broadcasting up to the present time because he felt that radio was not a sure medium for the true transmission of music. The time which has convinced him to go on the air is that he believes radio has become a cultural force. If his concert, which he considers an experiment, is successful he will also attribute it to the "really remarkable development of the science of broadcasting and coincidental improvement of the receiving set."

A picturesque feature of the program is that Heifetz will make his own announcements. Following a very brief introduction to the radio audience the celebrated violinist will run his own broadcast. He will tune his Stradivarius, tell what he is going to play and put on the whole show himself.

Celebrated compositions with which Heifetz has thrilled great concert audiences will comprise his program. Isidor Achron will be at the piano.

To Face "Mike"

JASCHA HEIFETZ, world famous violinist, who will make his radio debut in the Kellogg Slumber Music program tomorrow night, coming through WBZ-WBZA at 10:30.

Concerning Radio

Edited by BILL WHIPPLE

In the room where we peck at a typewriter and talk with you subscribers through the medium of these printed lines there is a microphone: it is the Evening American hookup with station WLEX, over which are broadcast several times a day news, features, and other forms of entertainment.

We have no quarrel with that situation; matter of fact it is our duty to aid in a small way in getting these broadcasts on the air. But we do believe it is an imposition upon good nature to be obliged to sit passively by and listen to Martha Lee, three times a week for 15 minutes, describe to you female customers the best way to cook gastronomical perfections, which almost invariably causes us to beat a hasty retreat to a nearby lunch emporium where we may subdue the fierce desire Martha Lee's descriptions have created. Being a mere man we get that way.

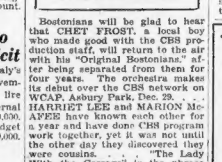
If anyone reading this has an old pair of corsets not in use please mail them to this office; they might help us in our difficulty.

News of tremendous importance to radio fans has reached us through the dispatch, which tells us that within a few months there will be in experimental operation by the Vatican the most powerful broadcasting station in the world. Between the hours of 1 to 6 o'clock tonight WEXAR, experimental transmitter of station KDKA, will blast out into the ether programs propelled by a power of 400,000 watts, compared with 50,000 watts, the maximum now used.

The contention of many experts is that superpower is the solution of many broadcasting difficulties provided accurately adjusted equipment is employed. We shall all watch for the initial broadcast with great interest.

Those Were the Happy Days

This item is addressed principally to you boys who have arrived at the two score mile-stone



of life; who hark back to the days when a keg was a "dinh," a sweet young thing was a "chicken" and not a "redhot mamma," and it was no disgrace not to own a horseless carriage. Sweet dreams of Tom Early's on Dagrange st., where Mrs. Early did the honors at the polished mahogany. But what we got started to say was that you "old" rascals tune in on the Davy Tree hour Sunday evening at 5 o'clock over WEEI, and get an earful of the songs we used to think were just a little bit of all right.

THROUGH THE INS we learn that the Federal Radio Commission has rejected the recommendations of chief examiner Ellis A. Yost that all 49 cleared channels should be used by 50,000 watt stations, and reminded the report to him for further action. Yost was directed to recommend which stations should be awarded 50,000 watt power under the present limitations of the commission which provides that maximum power should be used on only 20 of the cleared channels. It is good to make his recommendations.

Rafel E. del Viso, Jr., is the Spanish xcite of station WQAM at Miami, the southernmost broadcast to the United States. He broadcasts news items and programs in Spanish twice daily to Wild Cats in the West Indies and Latin America. Officials of the station estimate their "radio population outside the United States at 200,000.

Baseball is out of season, nevertheless there will be a doubleheader on WEZA at 10 tonight. Pitched versus Cavalier's Rusticans. Not content with a battle on one opera a week, the Chicago Civic Opera Company will offer the two shows mentioned on the air. Because the two operas are so short, listeners will be privileged to hear most of Pagliacci and about 15 minutes of Cavalleria Rusticana. Rosa Raisa sings the leading role in the latter. Other notables who will be heard are Hilda Burke, Charles Marshall, Antonio Corte and Marik Claessens.

Sandy McFarlane, the happy chimney builder and Scotch comedian, brings a guest star with him on the WBZA feature heard at 7:30 p. m. Ernest A. L. Hill, local newspaper man for more than 40 years, would divulge some secrets of the Fourth Estate. Sandy will offer four Scotch songs.

If you can possibly find something else to do, don't tune in on WBZA at 5 today. The world's worst radio program will be heard at that time when someone named Bill Whipple annoys the mike. Play the gramaphone, solitaire or backgammon, but don't tune in on this worthless program. Our only regret is that the two kids that are with Bill have to be included in this message; they are deserving of a better fate.

RADIO Personalities

Bostonians will be glad to hear that CHET FROST, a local boy who made good with the CBS production staff, will return to the air with his "Original Bostonians," after being separated from them for four years. The orchestra makes its debut over the CBS network on WCAP, Asbury Park, Dec. 29. . . . HARMONY LEE and MARION AFFEE have known each other for a year and have done CBS program work together, yet it was not until the other day they discovered they were cousins. . . . "The Lady With the Corsage" is the phrase identified with KATHLEEN STEWART, NBC pianist. She always totes a corsage composed either of orchids or lilies of the valley. . . . A high school in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., has named their current literary club for LOWELL THOMAS. . . . When SMITH BALLEW was at the Nora Bayes in N. Y., radio brought him to our parlors. TED LEWIS is carrying on at that night club this season, but as yet the air waves haven't captured him. Incidentally Ted is enjoying an imitation vogue. Among those who are portraying the high-hatted tragedian of jazz are Hal Skelly, Norma Terris, Jack White and Venita Gould.

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THE LAST MILE -:- -:- By Lewis Allen Browne

Chapter 26

VIOLA FORSAYTHE screamed from fright at his sudden movement.

She made a pretty good guess, in the next instant, as he pointed at the initial. Without any pretense as to modesty she stood facing him.

"You didn't have to act like a barbarian. I'd have known you if it was so important to you," she muttered, "and now suppose you tell me what the big idea is?"

"The Simmons girl had an accident. Is that, didn't she?"

"Find out," she snapped.

"I am. I'm at the morgue," Sid fled.

"Then what—"

"You got sore at her because she was stealing your sweetie, Bart Culver. You had a fight with her in Bart's apartment."

"What of it?"

"Listen, Viola. You got a lucky break—you were as guilty as hell—you killed Thurber in cold blood. Now, for God's sake, help me save Dick Walters—the poor devil is innocent!"

Viola laughed derisively.

A Few Threats

"He is. The girl stumbled and fell on her head; that's God's truth."

"What about the attack?"

"Whatever happened was of her own volition, after she had to admit to him her true character. All this maudlin rot about her innocence and purity—it must give you a big laugh."

"Not interested, Mr. Cavanaugh. "You will be before I get through with you."

"What do you mean?"

"If you don't help me willingly, I'll have to drag you in court and also Albert Sedgemire, who is putting up for this apartment and your beauty shop, to tell them about the booze you are selling to your lady patrons?"

"Come in and sit down, we'll talk it over." Viola was nervous by this time. Her self-assurance gone.

"I'll be back here tonight at seven, with Rogers, the lawyer, and you'll make up an affidavit."

"Will that let me out of being a witness?"

"The only promise I will make is this—I'll have you and Sedgemire in court unless you make the affidavit as to the character of the Simmon girl."

"Oh, all right," Viola promised. But she didn't intend to be in the city or the state when Dick Walters went to trial.

The next day was Ethel's funeral. Sid attended. Noticeable at the services, held in the church at Hampton, was a great mass of flaming red roses, with no card attached. Word went around, how ever, that Dick Walters had ordered those roses. Sid saw to it that this rumor started, for he had sent the roses himself.

Ethel's mother was there, although she was supposed to be such an invalid that she couldn't get out. She was unusually calm. Her sister and Mabel Shelton were with her. Sid studied Mabel Shelton with a great deal of interest.

Lawyer Rogers' first move was to delay the trial as much as possible. He wanted the sensation over. He had studied Mabel Shelton carefully in this although he got a brief delay on the claim that certain evidence would take much time to secure.

Every day Sid went over to see Cicily, and on each visit she seemed more aloof than ever. Whether it was her grief, or an increasing reticence toward him, he couldn't tell. Dick's mother was up and about the house, but she was like one in a daze.

Every grain of hopeful information that Sid could glean he took to Cicily.

New Evidence

One day, when he had told her that he had new evidence that would prove the true character of the dead girl, Cicily replied.

"Nothing can undo the fact that Dick is behind bars, that people believe he is a murderer and worse—even if he is freed his life will be ruined, my life is ruined, and mother may not live through the ordeal. And when you knew how Dick believed in that worthless creature, and then you found out you utter by worse than worthless she was—to keep it from Dick was really criminal."

"I did what I thought was best—there is always the human element to consider. I'm doing all that I can now."

"I feel that it is too late, Sid."

"Never! We've got to save him! You must not forgive me and work with me, Cicily."

"I'll work with you—for Dick's sake. I don't see how I can ever forgive you, Sid."

Sid attributed it to her terrific grief. He believed that ultimately she would forgive him and all would be well with their romance.

What galled him most of all was the fact that somewhere, having a day time of it, were Mert Nisinger and his bride. He didn't know where Nisinger had gone on his honeymoon and he greatly feared that Nisinger would read of Ethel Simmons' alleged murder and be afraid to come back until after the trial.

As often as possible he visited Dick.

One day Dick had read in the papers of the approaching execution of Fred Mayor.

He became terribly depressed.

"It was terrible, there in the death house, Sid," he said. "I went up twice to see poor Mayor. It seems to me that if I were there I'd welcome the chair—it would be so much better than the living hell of waiting—waiting—waiting. poor Mayor, he's got to do that long mile down through the green door, some night this week—this is his last week."

"Think of other things, Dick—think of the new evidence we have got for you," Sid begged.

Not Afraid of Chair

"All I can think of is that death house— honestly, Sid, if I had known, when I visited poor Mayor there, that I would be thrust in there some day, I'd have taken poison or something, just as soon as I realized that the fall on the rocks had killed her."

"You won't get that far, Dick, old man; we'll pull you through."

"I'm not afraid of the chair—honestly I'm not—nor of that so-called damn last mile. I'd welcome them, I know. But they say the men almost go crazy when one of the poor devils is prepared for the chair—some say that the light—don't dim when they turn on the death-current but some of the men up there swear that they do. I wouldn't."

He got up and paced. Sid Cavanaugh sat on the cot, hot and cold by turns. He was suffering more than Dick, he believed. Perhaps he was.

Dick stopped and lighted a cigarette. Sid watched him. His hand was quite steady.

"I read some place, just recently, that condemned men never fear the chair until the last few hours. They say that the strongest and most brutal devils are the ones who collapse, but the men with more mentality go through with it pretty well. I can't believe that—the trained and educated brain can imagine and visualize more."

"Then you have to do is to concentrate on the trial. Plan, think up schemes, search your mind for the slightest thing that might help you—you won't even get to the death house, Dick."

Dick threw down a cigarette and sat down on the cot beside Sid.

"Old man," he said, "I've got a hunch that you are wrong. I've got a hunch that all h-ll can't save me."

"Suppose, we'll pull you through, Dick."

But when Sid Cavanaugh left him he was more depressed.

At first, when Ethel Simmons was reported foully murdered, Mabel Shelton was a badly frightened woman.

She wondered just how much Ethel had told Herbert Nisinger about her. She wondered if Ethel had told Bart Culver anything, for Ethel had told Mrs. Shelton of her several affairs with Bart when Nisinger was away.

But as time passed and not a word was said to her, Mabe Sheldon felt more sure of herself. She had, naturally, no Ethel's closest friend, given out statements to some of the reporters and sob stories about Ethel—what a wonderfully bright girl she was, how industrious she was, and all that. This was more for her own sake than anything else. Mabel Shelton had guessed part of the tragedy. She had read about Ethel's dress being torn. She guessed that the reporters had seen that tattooed initial and then had killed her in what he believed to be jealous anger. She recalled that night when she saw the initial on Ethel and had told her plainly that she was an awful fool.

Mabel's Trick

But now Mabel was feeling more secure. Charlie Wagoner was coming secretly to see her, such times as her husband was on the road.

If she had known that Sid Cavanaugh, Dick's closest friend, the newspaper man, was on her trail, she would have been greatly terrified.

Sid got Molla Hansen, a clever girl writer on his paper, to help him. Molla became friendly with a neighbor of Mabel's. She slipped a couple of items about this neighbor's dinner party into the society column, although the Walker man did not have the social position to warrant it. Through this woman Molla learned that Mabel Shelton had a "gentleman caller" whenever her husband was gone one Mr. Wagoner, who owned a small chain of shoe stores.

One night Sid trailed Wagoner out to Mabel's home. Then he crept around the back at Mabel's home under cover of darkness. He heard Mabel and Charlie and then played an ancient trick. He pushed the buzzer button at the front door like a demon, then with great violence and then darted around to the back door.

He got there just as Wagoner was slipping out. He grabbed him. Wagoner started to fight.

"Which will you do—talk, or be bumped off right here on the back doorstep?" Sid asked.

Wagoner willed. They went in the back way. Mabel screamed when she saw them.

"Might as well make the best of it, Mabel," Wagoner said, "this detective has got it on us."

"I'm not a detective," Sid assured them.

A Hold-up

"What's this, a hold-up?" Wagoner demanded.

"Not for money—it's a hold-up for information—about Ethel Simmons, Mrs. Shelton, you know a great deal about her—you know that she came here attending to stay with you, and went down the grove to Nisginer's cottage."

"The very idea! Talking of dead girl like that! Who are you?" Mabel Shelton cried.

"I'm Dick Cavanaugh's closest friend, also a newspaper man. I'm here to get evidence to help Dick, but if you won't talk I'll turn newspaper man—if you get what I mean?"

"But I can't afford to talk—my husband—it would ruin me. I can't talk."

"Sure you can—it's the only way, Mabel," Wagoner said and He didn't give a hoot about Mabel Shelton's life being wrecked, when in this jam. He was a family man and he wanted to keep his skirts clear.

"But you won't quote me in the papers?"

"No," Sid assured her. What he hoped to do was to get her testimony in court.

"Well, I've got some letters sent here to Ethel, I'll show them to you," she said, and went into the other room. She reappeared in a moment, but instead of letters in her hand, there was an ugly looking revolver.

Sid saw it and started to leap up.

At the same moment there was a flash and a report.

The next surprising thing was to see Mabel Shelton collapse.

"She's shot herself—you scared her into it!" Wagoner cried with an oath as he leaped up from his chair and ran to her.

Sid picked up the weapon. He did not shoot him the certainly missed the mark.

A hasty examination and Sid said, "The fool has finished."

They soon restored her.

"It went off in my hand—I was going to try and scare you away," Mabel said, when she was able to sit up. "It frightened me so that I guess I fainted."

"Assault with intent to kill," Sid said, coolly.

"I'll soon prove it—I'll testify against you," Wagoner declared.

"And while you are testifying you can answer a few questions as to what you were doing here, why you have been coming here for more than a year, whenever Sheltan is out of town, and a few other things I shall see that they ask you."

No Pity

Sid smiled at him. He had the upper hand. He believed that Mrs. Shelton had no intention of shooting him. She merely wanted to frighten him away being nearly frantic for fear that she would be involved in the trial of Dick Walters and that her husband would discover her gross infidelity.

"Well, look here, if Mrs. Shelton tells you all you want to know, will you let her out?"

"Of course. She is not directly involved."

Sid felt that she deserved no pity. He would give her false assurance and then have her brought to court at the time she was needed to testify.

To Be Continued Monday

BROKEN RAINBOWS

The Quick, Brilliant Story of a Strange Love Triangle

GREATER BOSTON NEWS

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2D SECTION

BOSTON, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1930

REVERE DEATH SHELL IDENTIFIED AT TRIAL

Grace Glad to Leave Ship in France

WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE

Wilda Gardner, bookkeeper in a hardware store, is in love with Logan Townsend. He is no Adonis, Wilda thinks, but "he has a rare smile." Wilda's father dies and her mother, Gracie, becomes a different woman when the lawyers say the estate will amount to $100,000. She plans a trip to Europe. Wilda has a wonderful time at a house party where Logan asks her to marry him. Myrtle, who is determined to win Logan, turns up at the dock as Wilda boards steamer for Europe. Logan's leave-taking is affectionate. Gracie finds an admirer on board who later shocks her by saying he is married.

By MAY CHRISTIE

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BOARDSHIP FLIRTATIONS . . . she had read of them. She'd read that ships were the happy hunting-ground of married rotters.

He'd thought, no doubt, to have a game with her. Such doggoned impudence.

It was fear of a paroxysm, then and there, that had forced her to rush ahead of him to her cabin and slam the door in his face and lock it without one good night syllable.

But, apart from mal-de-mer, she was glad she'd snubbed Mr. Oscar Glyn.

Just let him think her rude. Just let him think—oh, ah!—the ship was rising and falling now like an express elevator.

Awful Sinking
Ship Like a Corkscrew

And half-way up, and half-way down it did a terrible corkscrew!

The woodwork groaned and squeaked, and Gracie groaned in unison.

Down! Down! Down!

That awful sinking feeling at the pit of one's stomach!

An ominous pause. For a moment the cabin was stationary.

Then up—up—up! Spirally!

Br-r-r-r! Was that the propeller or the screw that had risen out of the water?

Ugh! Horrible vibration! From stem to stern—she knew the meaning of that term by now—the whole vessel shivered.

And the woodwork creaked again, with a thousand little squeaks like animals.

Hark! Listen! Weren't those human groans in the next cabin?

Not that she cared a jot! Let everybody suffer!

Down, down again—then a halt halfway—and then suddenly up, up, up with a corkscrew motion.

Came a sound of someone near at hand being seized with a paroxysm.

She shuddered. Ah! Disgusting!

If Wilda were the least bit filial, she would surely have come in search of her mother . . .

Wilda had yachted on Long Island Sound and up at Nantucket. Wilda was a good sailor.

As the ship rose and fell and groaned and lolled Grace groaned in bitterness of spirit.

Why, in heaven's name, had they ever come on this accursed voyage?

Crockery Crashes
Why Did She Go?

To give Wilda a decent chance in life! To drag her away from her ordinary Logan Townsend!

Crash! Bang! Came the sound of smashed crockery from a steward's pantry.

Let every dish on the boat be smashed she didn't care. She'd never touch food again. The very thought of it made her ten times more nauseated.

Feet were heard hurrying down the passage. Others feeling as he did, sought quick retreat before the upheaval of the Atlantic.

Between noisy seasick yoops a child was yelling. And in the cabin on the left a man was apparently trying to reassure his wife, who was giving vent to hysterical hiccups.

It was too much. To be hurled into pandemonium like this after paying out one's good money.

The cabin door flew open with a bang, and in the aperture stood Wilda. She was smiling, radiant. She held in her hand an open paper.

"From Logan. I just got it.

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Council Head

HARRY C. KNIGHT, of New Haven, head of the Southern New England Telephone Company, has been elected president of the New England Council succeeding former Governor Redfield Proctor of Vermont.

'BARON'S' BRIDE IN BRAIN TEST

Barbara Buffum Bramwell, principal in Oxford's "knighthood" wedding that resulted in her incarceration in the Worcester State Hospital, submitted herself to mental tests today, confident that she would be released.

As Dr. William A. Bryan, superintendent of the hospital, carried in the little blocks, the rubber hammer and the several pages of tricky questions which are used to determine one's sanity, Barbara was placing her hope for release on two important factors.

The first was her husband. The second, was the fact that she had passed the same test before and had been dismissed from the same institution because she was sane.

CAN HAVE HER IF—

Dr. Bryan today reiterated his assertions that if "Sir" William Bramwell, the bridegroom, returned for his bride that he can have her, providing he proves the marriage legal.

Only the girl's father, James Buffum Webster banker, and her brother, Warren, who assisted in taking Barbara to the hospital as she screamed and kicked, were at the family home in Oxford today.

Mrs. Buffum, with another daughter, left Oxford three days ago and has not returned. The girl's charges that her mother perpetrated the hoax that eventually landed her in the asylum are reported to have had a serious effect on Mrs. Buffum.

CHECKS ARE PAID

In the sun parlor of the house were piled large boxes and crates which had held the gifts to the bride. The gifts, reported to have been valued in excess of $3500, have been stored in the attic.

Checks used by the bride to purchase wedding finery for herself and "Sir" William, were still being presented to the girl's father today. A clerk in a Worcester bank went to Webster and collected on a $15 check which the girl passed in Boston. According to officials of the bank, James Buffman paid without comment.

EXTRA POLICE ON DUTY FOR DAY

Army of Shoppers Roll Into City by Train, Trolley and Auto

The Saturday before Christmas—and uncountable thousands thronged the downtown shopping district.

Police were prepared to handle upwards of 300,000 in the main shopping area, for the mild weather on the biggest buying day of the year was bringing out a huge crowd.

Steam trains and electrics bound toward the city were filled with women shoppers and youngsters bent on seeing everything in the stores.

With the experience gained last week in handling big crowds on Washington st. in conjunction with the new traffic lights, Supt. Michael H. Crowley was confident things would run with perfect smoothness today.

At all the important intersections extra officers were stationed to enforce co-operation between pedestrians and lights, if possible, but above all to assist the shopping crowds to circulate swiftly and safely.

Four officers were on duty at the Summer-Winter-Washington st. intersection, where many thousands crossed the streets every hour.

Stores reported a real Christmas business, apparently unaffected by depression—a real, old-fashioned Saturday-before-Christmas buying.

The weather man promised fair weather all day, although perhaps with some cloudiness toward evening, and predicted that the mildness would last until tomorrow, when it will probably be a little colder.

YULE PARTIES TO AID POOR

Hundreds of children, carrying toys, vegetables, canned goods, clothing and other gifts for the poor, were admitted free to the Metropolitan Theater this morning to witness a special performance arranged by the theater management in co-operation with the Salvation Army.

Salvation Army workers in uniform stood at the doors and collected the gifts in lieu of tickets. Later the presents were loaded on trucks for distribution to needy families.

Another Christmas party was held at the Peabody House, Charles st., where crippled children from various hospitals participated in the entertainment.

A group of Camp Fire Girls under the guidance of Miss Evelyn Langford of Gordon College of Theology and Missions, gave a Christmas party to needy children at the Camp Fire House, 324 Commonwealth ave.

The Camp Fire Girls have made hundreds of dolls and other gifts for poor children, to be distributed through the Red Cross, the Salvation Army and at hospitals, and are also filling baskets of food and rehearsing for carol singing at the hospitals.

The Central Sq. theater, Waltham, also had a children's show, similar to that at the Metropolitan, and throughout Greater Boston other Christmas benefits and festivities were taking place.

Yule Shopping Crowd Throngs City

Hero Dog Saves Malden Child

"FRITZ," WINNER of a medal as one of the ten bravest dogs in the country, stepped to the front of the canine world as a hero again yesterday when he led Mrs. Gertrude Parmenter to the second floor of her Durso ave., Malden, home, to pull her three-year-old granddaughter, Gertrude Mahoney, from a window sill where she had crawled. "Fritz," who won a medal for saving his 11-year-old master, Michael Lapore, is shown at the left with little Gertrude Mahoney. The diagram at the right shows how the child perched on the window sill. (Staff photo.)

DOG SAVES CHILD FROM FALL

"Fritz," owned by Mrs. Joseph La Pore of 18 Durso ave., Malden, shares with nine other dogs the honor of being the bravest in all the United States. He has a medal and citation, awarded last summer, to prove that.

And now he merits honors for quick-thinking, too.

Romping about in front of the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mahoney, neighbors of the La Pore family, he saw three-year-old Gertrude Mahoney sitting on the sill of a window on the second floor and unable to draw herself back to safety.

"Fritz" barked loudly and attracted Mrs. LaPore, who opened the door of the Mahoney house to give the alarm. But the dog sounded part her to the kitchen where Mrs. Gertrude Parmenter, the child's grandmother, was working, and led her to the front of the house in time to save the baby.

Only a few days ago Fritz saved the same child from an automobile, seizing her dress in his teeth and pulling her from the path of the machine. His citation for bravery was for rescuing Michael La Pore, 11, from drowning.

$50 Weekly for News and Picture Tips

Do you want to get money for being alert? If so, the Boston Evening American offers the opportunity. Each week $50 in prizes will be given for news and picture tips telephoned into the News-Tip Editor, at Liberty 4000.

And what is a news tip? It's the information that something of interest to Greater Bostonians has taken place or will take place. Do you know, for instance, that an interesting picture is to be obtained, that an accident or an unusual event has happened, that there is going to be a business merger? That's a news tip. If you have a camera, take a picture of some news event, while it is happening. Pictures of unusual animal poses are wanted, too. Bring your action pictures to the American quick. Delay often spoils them for use in the American.

There will be $15 given weekly for the best or an unusual event news tip received; $10 for the next best; $5 for the next best, and $2 prizes for each of the 10 next most valuable tips. Of course, the first one who turns in the tip in an interesting event receives the award on that particular item. Anyone who is alive and alert can win.

700 Sail for West Indies on New Ship

With 700 passengers booked to sail from Boston, the new Prince Robert docks at Commonwealth Pier, today, to sail for Bermuda, Jamaica, Kingston and Havana, opening the West Indies cruises of the Canadian National Steamship Co. Subsequent sailings from this port will be January 10 and January 31.

RUM WATCH ON NORTH SHORE

Determined to block the landing of liquor from ships at points along the North Shore, prohibition and coast guard forces are on guard at points along the water front in East Boston, Winthrop, Revere, Lynn and Marblehead. It was learned today.

Code messages from ships outside the two-mile limit of Boston harbor are reported to have been intercepted by Federal agents. Watch is being kept on members of a "Boston rum ring," said to be interested in supplying "speakeasies" in Chelsea, Revere and other places with rum for the Christmas trade.

The move to place the rum guard was taken after coast guardsmen had scattered a band of rum runners who had boldly attempted to salvage a dumped cargo from the waters behind the McElwain summer estate, in Cohasset.

The load, which had been dumped a few days ago, had been partially salvaged by the rum runners when they were discovered by police, who notified the coast guard officers at Scituate. All of the salvagers escaped. The load was taken to Boston.

Clerk Held in $2000 Air $70 Mail Theft

Pleading not guilty to larceny of a letter containing a check for $73.58 from the mails, George F. Black, Jr., of Jamaica Plain, postal clerk in one of the Boston stations, was held in $6000 bail for the grand jury today by U. S. Commissioner Jenney. The letter was addressed to J. F. Neil, at Laconia, N. H., according to the federal authorities.

CARTRIDGE FOUND BY GUIFFRE PICKED

Expert Is on Stand for Two Hours; the Trial Is Adjourned Until Monday

Capt. Charles A. Van Amburgh, State firearms expert, today identified an exploded cartridge found in the pocket of a coat alleged to have been worn by Carmello Guiffre as one which had been fired from the .25-caliber automatic the State contends was used in the murder of Morris Lerner.

Capt. Van Amburgh in his identification testified:

"No other gun in the world could have fired that shell than the one which is here and marked as an exhibit in this case."

Capt. Van Amburgh also said that from his examination of the bullet hole in the vest of the murder victim that it was his opinion that it was fired from a gun held less than an inch from Lerner's body.

For more than two hours today the firearm expert described in detail the appearance of the clubhouse after the shooting affray. He said that he had examined at least a half dozen bullet holes in the walls, doors, ceilings and windows of the clubhouse.

He picked up a half dozen bullets which had been fired during the gun battle on the night of August 15, the captain declared.

At one o'clock Judge Daniel T. O'Connell suspended the trial until Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Nine Lottery Cases Continued to Dec. 24

Cases of eight men and a woman, arrested yesterday in a lottery raid by Cambridge police, were continued until Dec. 24 by Judge Arthur P. Stone in Middlesex District court today. Leo F. Pierce, 59, a printer, living at the rear of the yard on Brookline st., is charged with advertising, setting up and promoting a lottery. The woman, Margaret Carroll, 30, of Rosedale st., Roxbury, is charged with possession of gaming implements.

Others arrested were John P. Fellows, 57, of Washington st., Stoughton; Charles MacGregor, 48, of Boylston st.; Fred W. Bennett, 37, of Amory pl., Cambridge; William E. Newell, 63, of Tremont st., Boston, and John P. Sullivan, 38, of Longfellow st., Dorchester.

4 Off Burned Boat Held as Runners

Charged with conspiracy to smuggle liquor on the Massachusetts coast, four men, arrested yesterday by coast guards aboard the speedboat Albertina in Buzzards Bay, were held in $3000 bail each today by U. S. Commissioner Jenney. They are Joseph A. Healy, 50, of Worcester; Alfred Bergin, 40, of Worcester; Alfred Bergin, Jr., 20, of Worcester; William Kaufmann of Worcester. All pleaded not guilty. According to Asst. U. S. Atty. Hubert C. Thompson, another serious charge will be placed against them. Just after they were taken off the Albertina, a 41-foot craft, the boat burst into flames and burned.

News in Want Ads

—A Washington st. firm presents an unusual offer in pianos during the holiday season. They will sell, with bench included, a piano for $75, while $100 will buy a guaranteed player. They will hold for Christmas delivery.

—A position is open for a middle-aged woman to act as housekeeper for an elderly man on a farm in Marlboro.

—For anyone interested in setting up in business for themselves an unusual opportunity is afforded in the offer to sell an established gift or variety store. A small down payment is needed.

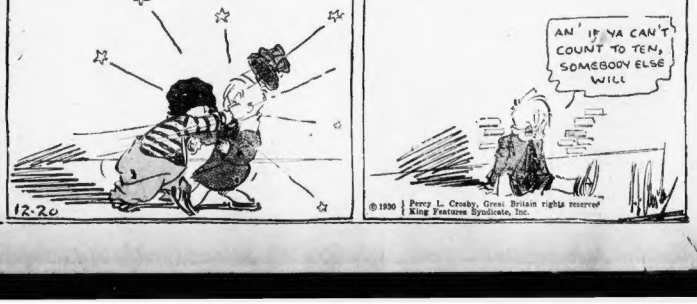
—A Mattapan auto dealer has a bargain in a late model sedan. A reasonable amount down with the balance in small monthly payments will give the buyer a car, practically new and in al mechanical condition

TODAY'S WANT ADS

SKIPPY

In "Round Numbers"

By Percy Crosby



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THE THIMBLE THEATER

By Segar

(Registered U. S. Patent Office)

Now Showing—"Unanemic Bloodhounds"

Monday—"The Marine Jockey"

HERE'S THE WAY I HAVE IT FIGURED, BOYS— I THINK YOU'RE AFRAID TO COME WEST WITH ME AND TACKLE GLINT GORE
OH-YEAH?
OH-YEAH?
GET READY, POPEYE, WE'RE GOING!! HE CAN'T CALL US COWARDS AND MAKE IT STICK.
THA'S RIGHT!
I'LL PAINT A SIGN AN' HANG IT OUT SO FOLKS'LL KNOW WE AIN'T HERE NO MORE
I HAVEN'T TIME TO READ YOUR SIGN— HURRY, POPEYE— WE MUST CATCH THE WESTBOUND TRAIN
THIS DEFECTIVE AGENSNEE WILL NOW BEE CLOTHESED ON ACOUNT OF US GOIN WES TO KETCH A TURRIBLE CRIMINAL— BLOW ME DOWN!

DRAW YOUR OWN CONCLUSION

By Milt Gross

(Registered U. S. Patent Office)

WHAZZAT?? YOU'LL DROP IT ON MY DOME NEXT TIME I'M LATE, EH? WELL, JIST YOU TRY IT, MISTER!!
AW'LL JES' MOVE DIS A SPELL
AH! HERE'S THE ICE BOX AT LAST!
12 20
MILT GROSS

Kabibble Kabaret—By Hershfield

DEAR MR. KABIBBLE:
HAS THE PRESENT DEPRESSION HALTED DIVORCES? T.O.R.

RIGHT. PAYING OFF, IN APPLES IS NO ALIMONY

BRINGING UP FATHER

Jiggs Gets Shock

By George McManus

THESE LETTERS ARE GITTIN' ON ME NERVES—I'LL BURN 'EM AN' GIT RID OF 'EM FOREVER.
AN' I'LL ALWAYS MAKE MAGGIE BE UNDER THE IMPRESSION SHE COULDN'T FIND 'EM.
MR. JIGGS! HERE ARE SOME LETTERS
WHAT?
WHY DIDN'T YOU SAY IT WUZ ME MAIL? DO YOU WANT TO GIVE ME HEART-FAILURE?
12 2.

POLLY AND HER PALS

Foresight Forewarned

By Cliff Sterrett

I'LL JESS HIDE MA'S AN' POLLY'S PRESENTS UNDER THE COUCH HERE, WHERE THEY'LL NEVER FIND THEM!
P-ST! THE HON. MA AND POLLY SAW WHERE YOU CONCEALED THEM, SIR.
HEH, HEH, HEH. I KNOW IT!
THEN PERMITTING THEM TO PEEP IS PART OF THE HON. PA'S PLAN, EH?
YOU SAID IT, SON!
I ALLUS AIMS T'LET MY WOMEN FOLKS, DO THEIR CHRISTMAS EXCHANGING EARLY!
CLIFF STERRETT 12-20

TIM TYLER'S FLYING LUCK

The Cause of the Disturbance

By Lym Young

LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY

Ships Without Sails

By Darrell McClure

IT'S JUST LIKE HAVING YOUR LOVELY DREAM CHANGED INTO A NIGHTMARE! LAST WEEK, I WAS THE ADOPTED DAUGHTER OF THE RICH ADDAMS FAMILY= NOW, I'M JUST NOBODY, WITHOUT A FRIEND= EXCEPTING YOU!
FOR RENT
THE ADDAMS THOUGHT THEIR OWN LITTLE GIRL WAS DEAD= WHEN THEY TOOK ME FROM THE ORPHANAGE. WHEN THEY FOUND HER -- I WAS ONLY IN THE WAY— BUT THE O'FLYNNS ALWAYS LIKED ME -- THEY HAD NO KIDS= SO I CAME HERE
BUT THE O'FLYNNS ARE GONE TO VISIT IRELAND, YOU DON'T KNOW MRS. MEANY, DO YOU, ZERO? SHE RUNS AN ORPHANAGE IN THIS TOWN= SHE TREATS THE KIDS AWFUL= I RAN AWAY FROM HER ORPHANAGE 'CAUSE SHE WAS CRUEL AN' WICKED, AN' SHE HATED ME!
I AIN'T TELLING YOU MY TROUBLES TO MAKE YOU FEEL BAD= BUT I WANT YOU TO KNOW HOW THINGS ARE. THINGS LOOK KINDA BLACK= BUT I GUESS WE'LL GET ALONG, SOMEHOW. BUT HONEST, ZERO, IT DON'T LOOK MUCH LIKE MERRY CHRISTMAS FOR US!
DARRELL McCLURE 12 20

BARNEY GOOGLE

Back Talk

By De Beck

BARNEY GOOGLE! THE LITTLE WHIPPER SNAPPER!! INSINUATING THAT I AM TOO OLD TO ASK CPAL TO MARRY ME
WHY BOTHER YOUR HEAD ABOUT HIM, SENATOR? AFTER ALL—
YOU ARE RIGHT, ZITZ. THE NEXT TIME I MEET THE FELLOW I SHALL SNUB HIM AS HE HAS NEVER BEEN SNUBBED BEFORE
PFFT PFFT
MERCY! WILL THE FELLOW KEEP THIS UP FOREVER?
12-20

ABIE THE AGENT

Speaking of Embarrassing Moments

By Hershfield

HE'S WAITING IN MY OFFICE FOR ME??
HE WON'T GIVE HIS NAME OR BUSINESS
JUST A MINUTE, MISTER KABIBBLE—
OH, MISTER GOTGELT— SURE, I'D RATHER STOP AND TALK TO YOU, THAN THE PEST I GOT WAITING IN MY OFFICE FOR ME!!
WELL, I'M THAT PEST AND COULDN'T WAIT ANY LONGER!!

Magazine and Fiction Page

Iodine

Iodine was discovered by M. De Courtois, a manufacturer of saltpeter in Paris, in 1812 and investigated in 1813 by M. Clement. On application of heat is rises in the form of dense violet vapor. It has many medical uses.

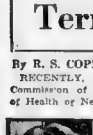
This Day in Our History

South Carolina seceded from the Union, to be the first of the Confederate States of America, on December 20, 1860. [illegible] ple was soon followed by other [illegible] states. The country was nearing [illegible]

Diphtheria Loses Old Terrors

By R. S. COPELAND, M. D.

RECENTLY, the Diphtheria Commission of the Department of Health of New York City issued an uncomfortable statement that diphtheria will probably be more prevalent this winter.



Dr. Copeland

This warning should be sufficient to prevent such a calamity. Diphtheria is a terrible disease, as anyone who has come in contact with it can bear witness. But it is preventable, and there is no reason why every child should not be protected against it.

Although diphtheria is extremely contagious, some people will never take it. They are safe, no matter how often they may be exposed. Such persons are said to be "immune." This immunity increases with age, so that only a small proportion of the adult population is in danger of contagion.

But with small children the case is different. Very few of them are naturally immune, but fortunately all of them can be made so. The risk of infection is so great, and the consequences so serious, that every child should be tested to find out whether he is susceptible. If he is, he should be given the treatment necessary to overcome the condition.

The procedure for finding out whether there is immunity is simple. It is known as the "Shiek test," and consists of injecting into the outer layer of the skin a tiny drop of toxin.

If there is no reaction, the person is immune. But if the spot turns red and stays red for a week or so, looking rather like a mosquito bite, it means that the person is not immune. In that event he should be given injections of toxin-antitoxin to create immunity.

The toxin-antitoxin treatment is easy and harmless. Three injections are given, a week apart, and within six months complete immunity develops. There are no serious after-effects to be feared —no excuse why any child should not be treated.

Sometimes the immunizing injections are given at once. In this case, the preliminary Schick test is avoided.

The toxin-antitoxin treatment in diphtheria was one of the great achievements of modern medicine. By its use the toll of the disease was cut down to one-third of the former figure. Its universal use would within a few years wipe out diphtheria entirely.

Answers to Health Queries

"NERVOUSNESS." Q—What do you advise for neurasthenia?

A.—Try to build up the general health and this will benefit the entire nervous system.

A. G. Q—What do you advise for pernicious anemia? What causes numbness of the limbs, and what treatment would you suggest?

A.—This condition requires specific medical attention and advice. Have your doctor examine you. Poor circulation would account for the numbness. An improved health the circulation will improve.

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SMART SAYINGS OF CLEVER CHILDREN

The Boston Evening American will pay $1 for the best one of the published smart sayings each day. Address "Smart Sayings," Boston Evening American.

TODAY'S WINNER

Small Boy: "Dad, give me a dime?"

Father: "Not today, sonny, not today."

Small Boy: "Dad, if you will give me a dime, I will tell you what the iceman said to mamma this morning."

Father: "Here, son, quick, what did he say?"

Small Boy: "He said, 'Lady, how much ice do you want this morning?'"

SAMUEL WALDRON,
14 Vose Avenue Hyde Park.

HONORABLE MENTION

I went to the store and asked the clerk how much he cracked eggs were. He said' "Twenty-five cents a dozen, but they are all sold." I pointed to a case and said, "What are those?" "Those are fresh hennery eggs, 80 cents a dozen." I said, "Well, crack me a dozen."

JOHNA. VORDERER
99 Tyler Avenue, West Medford

Teacher (to pupils)—That's a long lesson and there's plenty of meat in it.

One pupil—But teacher, I'm a vegetarian.

MILTON L. LEVY,
1,330 Dawson rd., Brookline.

WHEN ALL THE WORLD IS KIN

DRAWN BY
Nell Brinkley

THIS YEAR of Nineteen-thirty . . . almost gone; with the other years of almost two thousand Christmases, there was writing on the wall. And the writer was Noel, jolly old King Christmas of the unfashionable figure, the furs, the scarlet velvet, the eyebrows and beard of snow. And high up where all could see he wrote a law, a LAW for Christmas Nineteen-thirty; and it said

"EVERYONE MUST GIVE TO EVERYONE ELSE."

Maybe you don't think that when a hard-eyed young man with a camel-hair, snap-brim hat and a nipped-in double-breaster slips a five-dollar bill in the Salvation Army lassie's tambourine after the movies . . . with a shamed and cautious look . . . that it is brotherly love! But it is; it's only one more Christmas fire lighted. Some of us didn't know what happened to us when we HAD to give this year and some of us knew very well. We read the writing on the wall . . . an anaemic imagination took fire from a Christmas candle a crippled heart walked again, deaf ears heard Christmas bells shelling out silver, and we remembered the old song from the French:

"WHO BY THE FIRESIDE STANDS
STAMPS HIS FEET AND SINGS,
BUT HE WHO BLOWS HIS HANDS
NOT SO GAY A CAROL BRINGS"

Christmas has survived cynicism, has flaunted its fires and its bells and trees in the face of modern unemotionalism, has played its Christmas carol on a music box in a jazz world, and this year it waved the very ancient flower of Christmas sentiment which says that good things spring to the hand that gives on Christmas-tide! And a worldly world stopped and read the legend. The worldly world was depressed some itself; it was gift-shopping frayed; Christmas had become a bore, and it never thought of the little Child who is EVERY LITTLE POOR CHILD IN THE WORLD, who is supposed to wander Christmas Eve night through the dark and snow, looking for the candle in the window and the open door and warm heart. But the legend was so bright that it lighted a Christmas fire in the world's tense heart, and behold' . . . it walked right out and gave to the "Christmas Fund" slipped something to a Salvation lassie while it hummed "Silent Night, Holy Night," loaded a basket for its little boy to help swell his school's quota suffering an acute softening of the heart when it saw how PROUD THE LITTLE BOY WAS TO GIVE found a job that could be given, bought some more presents, and gave away last year's overcoat! The world that is stone hard to many another old-fashioned tender sentiment could not resist the oldest of all sentiments—Christmas Giving. You, and you, and you, and I, all of us, fell into the procession. King Christmas' happy mob—the crowd which gave to some one else.

It isn't Saint Nick's private sack this year and it doesn't hold toys alone. It's as big as a piece of circus tent, and LOVE helps carry it. And the whole country helped fill it. Well-off Mimi tossed in expensive toys and ten Christmas dinners. Down-pretty-close Mamie put in a mended toy and some home-made jelly. And Ol' Christmas grinned at them both with exactly the same degree of warmth and the same candle power of twinkle to the eye. 'Fill it up,' cried he, 'little and big. More, more'

And they say it is a huge success. They say the sack went magic to hold the marvel of bounty that flowed into it! The red Christmas rose bloomed in the snow We hope it bloomed for every little child in this country.

Old 'Persons and middle-old ones need happiness and food on Christmas Day . . . but the little Child seems the beginning and the end of Christmas. The ancient white grape juice and 2 well-beaten eggs. Sift the following dry ingredients together and add ½ cup flour, ½ tsp. salt, ½ tsp. soda, ½ tsp. baking powder, ½ tsp. cinnamon, ½ tsp. nutmeg, ½ tsp. cloves. Pour into a greased pudding mold, cover and steam 3 hours. Serve with

Peach or Apricot Hard Sauce

Cream ¼ cup butter and 1½ cups confectioner's sugar. Drain 1 cup of stewed apricots or peaches and cut fine. Add and beat in the stiffly-beaten white of 1 egg and chill thoroughly.

Faithfully Yours,

Martha Lee

HOUSEHOLD SUGESTIONS BY WOMEN READERS OF THE BOSTON AMERICAN

Six awards of $1 each will be published each Saturday for the best contributions to this department during the week. The Hints should be simple and practical, not fancy recipes, but any sort of helpful hints for housewives economical cookery or housekeeping in any of its forms.

Address all contributions to Mrs. A. Lee, Boston Evening American, 9 Winthrop Sq., Boston, Mass.

PEACH CAKE

Sift 2 c. flour and 2 tsps. baking powder, ½ tsp. salt, ¾ c. sugar. Mix 1 beaten egg with 3 tbsps melted butter (not too hot) Add ¼ c. molasses and ¼ c. milk. Gradually add molasses mixture to dry mixture until smooth. Add 1 tsp. vanilla (and scant ½ tsp almond extract if desired). Spread in pan. Arrange sliced peaches on top, pressing slightly into dough Sprinkle with 3 tsps. sugar, mixed with ½ tsp. cinnamon. Bake in moderate oven (350 deg. F.). Serve hot with cream or pudding sauce.—Mrs. H. K. E., Lynn, Mass.

ORANGE JELLY CAKE

Three eggs, beat whites and yolks separately, ½ c. butter, 1½ c. milk, 1¼ c. sugar, 2 c. flour, 1 tsp. cream of tartar, ½ tsp. baking soda. This makes three layers.

Filling

Juice of 1 orange, juice of ¼ lemon, ½ c. water, ½ c. sugar. Add a little cornstarch and boil to thicken.

Frosting

White of 1 egg, 1 c. powdered sugar, juice ½ orange. The amount of sugar depends upon how juicy the orange is.—Mrs. K. McG., 11 North st., Haverhill, Mass.

WINNERS OF THE WEEK

Awards of $1 each for the best six contributions to this department for the week ending December 20 are as follows: To Mrs. Sarah J. Dunne, Box 328 [illegible] for her [illegible] with Spoon Bread; M. [illegible] mo, 13 Tremont st., [illegible] wood, how to remove [illegible] ring; Mrs. George E. [illegible] James st., Newton; M. [illegible] pie Cookies; Mrs. [illegible] Butter Nabant st., Wa[illegible] Mass. for her Pineapple [illegible] Candy; Mrs. Julia Hasker [illegible] High st., Berlin, N. H. [illegible] St. James' Pudding with Cream Hard Sauce, and Mrs. H. K. [illegible] holds 42 Sanderson ave., [illegible] Mass.

Other recipes and [illegible] hints deserving [illegible] mention come from Mr. Arthur [illegible] 1 Pine Hill Cres., Mrs. [illegible] Mass.; Mrs. A. [illegible] st., Arlington; M. [illegible] Mass.; Mrs. [illegible] Mass.; Mrs. Nellie [illegible] 253 West st., Chelsea; [illegible] Mrs. Katherine [illegible] North st., Haverhill; [illegible] Ward of Jervis [illegible] Somerville, Mass.; Mrs. [illegible] Claven, 49 Caughey st., Wilbraham, Mass.

Martha Lee

Tomorrow's Table

BREAKFAST
Baked Apples with Cream
Coffee Rolls
Coffee

DINNER
Cream Pea Soup
Fricasseed Chicken
Boiled Rice
Celery
Vegetable Salad
Pudding

SUPPER
Salmon and Corn
Lettuce with Russian Dressing
Biscuits
Tea

Worth Knowing

BLEACHING — Dampen a dry [illegible] with the grease possible), repeating until [illegible] If this is not efficient [illegible] Clarelle" and carefully [illegible] directions on the bottle.

REMOVING STAINS: Soak the spotted [illegible] cold water in a bowl, and pour [illegible] boiling water through [illegible] from a foot and [illegible] above. The treatment should be [illegible] the spots disappear. [illegible] Mrs. E. W., P. O. [illegible] Sydney.

TO MAKE TAO FOLKS [illegible] BUTTER OUT OF ONE POUND: —1 lb. of butter, 1 pt. milk, 1 tbsps. salt. Cut butter in [illegible] pieces, then add the milk & salt. Set in a pan of hot water until the butter is soft. Then remove from water and beat from 5 to 5 minutes, then place in a dish of cold water and beat or mix few minutes longer. Set aside a cold dish, first pinsed in cold water—Mrs. E. K., 630 Washington st., Stoughton

Answers to Requests

TO MRS. K. M. A. Sorry we [illegible] "If you don't object [illegible] a more recipe for Pan [illegible] and I'll be glad to [illegible] book or mail it right [illegible] 3 or 4 then of flour and [illegible] enough cold water [illegible] nard nary thickness [illegible] for gravie beat until perfectly smooth Add boiling water, stirring constantly, first adding only enough water to saturate all the flour in the bowl, stir to a smooth paste In adding cold water to the flour, add only enough to wet the flour. If the mixture is thick, you can add more water gradually until the paste is thin enough to receive the boiling water —Mrs. [illegible] kitchen table, not on floor. Thank you, "Sailor!"

MRS. INA POTTER, of [illegible] Carmel st., Chelsea, sends the recipe for Potato Fudge Cake requested by Mrs. E. J. P.

POTATO FUDGE CAKE

2-3 cup butter
1½ cups sugar
2 eggs
½ cup milk
1 cup grated chocolate
1 cup chopped nuts
1 tsp. salt
½ tsp. vanilla
½ tsp. nutmeg
2 tsps. baking powder
2 cups flour
1 cup hot mashed potatoes
½ tsp. cinnamon
½ tsp. cloves

Cream butter and sugar and add egg yolks, spices, salt, vanilla and chocolate. Sift dry ingredients and add nuts, and work into first mixture. Beat in the mashed potato and fold in the whites May be baked in a loaf pan for about 45 minutes at 350 deg. F. Cover with plain icing.

TO MRS. S. P. S.—To remove iodine stains, soak in alcohol and wash out in soap and water. Chloroform is also effective. If the stains are soaked in strong ammonia water immediately after they are made, they should disappear.—Mrs. S. I. A., Winthrop

TO MRS. I. N. W.—If you will add a few drops of turpentine to your dried up shoe polish, I think you will find it as good as new. —Mrs. D. U. W., Boston.

Daily Pattern

By MARIAN MARTIN

Practical and Smart

PATTERN 9018

THIS MODEL, with its cunning scalloped yoke, is smartest with yoke and hem of contrasting color.

Pattern 9018 may be ordered only in sizes 2, 4 6 and 8. Size 4 requires 2¼ yards of 36-inch fabric.

Please write very plainly your name, address, style number and size.

To get a pattern of this model, send 15 cents (15c) in coins or stamps (coins preferred) to Boston Evening American Pattern Department, 323 W. 18th st., New York city.

BROKEN RAINBOWS—By May Christy

Continued From Page 1, 2nd Sec.

Isn't radio a marvelous invention?"

Gracie gave an exasperated groan.

"Come in and shut that door. Can't you see I'm suffering?"

"What, mother, what's the matter? Why did you steal away to bed? I thought you were with Mr. Glyn out on the decks looking at the ocean. It's a grand night now—"

"It's horrible!" Gracie gave a violent shudder

"Why, mother, surely you aren't seasick?"

"I certainly am! And how! I feel just like I'm dying."

"Then you ought to be on deck instead of smothering down here in this stuffy cabin."

"No reply. Wilda put out a hand against the wardrobe to steady herself

"Wouldn't you like a cup of strong, black coffee, Gracie darling"

"No. Go away Can't you see I'm suffering"

"Shall I get the doctor for you"

"No. What could he do? Can he control the ocean"

"Then I'm afraid to be really afraid even if it gets rougher," counseled Wilda, "because this is one of the steadiest and best-built ships on the Atlantic."

Widow Groaned
She Hated All Ships

Her mother only shut her eyes and groaned. She hated ships and hated everything to do with them.

They landed at Cherbourg on a delightful summer day. The sun shone on the pretty French landscape.

And all was bustle as the boat-train made ready for its departure to Paris.

"What absurd little coaches!" Grace Gardner was herself again after her spell of seasickness. Wilda and she were both in beige traveling costumes.

Because one of the passengers (who was going on with the boat to England) had mistaken them for sisters when bidding farewell today, Grace had been thoroughly delighted.

A woman was "only as old as she looked"—but so? She had a top-of-the-world, almost a juvenile feeling this morning.

Forgotten was her disillusion over Mr. Oscar Glyn. There were as good fish in the sea as ever came out of it!

They climbed into a high, narrow little coach and lowered the window.

From the platform came a babel of French tongues. A fat old woman—rosy-cheeked, with the inevitable black overall—offered them oranges from an enormous basket

"But, Grace, aren't they cheap! Two for a cent!"

"Now, Wilda, you aren't going to disgrace our first-class tickets and our clothes by munching oranges"

"No. But look—she's got wine, too. Only six cents a bottle."

"I'll surely be poison

"Why, no! You're in France now, mother!"

Train Starts
In Bustle of Gaiety

On the platform all was gaiety and confusion. There were travelers' agents, showing people to their seats . . . blue-blouused French porters gesticulating madly.

But everybody got in at last and the train started

Little boys in alpaca aprons raced along by the side of the moving coaches, wanting pennies. They were delighted with even the most trifling coins (and coins in France are minted as low as the fifth part of one cent) that were flung down into their grubby little palms by passengers

The train flew on. They passed through a lovely unadulating landscape Green it was, the meadows flower-dotted

And there were streams where patient anglers fished under the high hot sun of noontime

Old chateaux galore set on quiet hillsides. Quaint little miniature, red-tiled farmhouses. And black-bloused workmen, pedaling home for their lunch on bicycles.

"What absurd little coaches!" Grace Gardner was herself again after her spell of seasickness. Wilda and she were both in beige traveling costumes.

Because one of the passengers (who was going on with the boat to England) had mistaken them for sisters when bidding farewell today, Grace had been thoroughly delighted.

A woman was "only as old as she looked"—but so? She had a top-of-the-world, almost a juvenile feeling this morning.

Forgotten was her disillusion over Mr. Oscar Glyn. There were

And, of course, she simply couldn't wait to get to Paris!

But she wasn't going to hand those "frogs" anything . . . not until they'd proved themselves, anyway . . .

"Oh, mother, look! Isn't it too lovely?"

"I've seen just as pretty bits round Philadelphia and up in Westchester."

"But it's so different! We're in a foreign country"

As though to prove this obvious statement, along came an attendant ringing a bell and yelling in French that "first luncheon" was ready

"I forgot to get the tickets," said Wilda remorsefully. "The restaurant seats will be booked to the limit"

She asked the man for coupons in uncertain French. Smiled winningly up at him.

That was enough. He was Latin and she had such pretty eyes The "beaux yeux" did it.

Gracie and she followed that noisy bell along the rocking corridors . . . "for all the world like hungry rats after the Pied Piper!" laughed Wilda.

Experiences at Wilda and Gracie in Paris are interestingly told in Monday's installment.

BEST JOKE I EVER HEARD

The Boston Evening American will pay $1 for the best one of the jokes published here each day Address "Best Joke," Boston Evening American.

TODAY'S WINNER

Insect—Ha ha! he! he! he! hellowed "Why do you call me insect?"

His wife smiled sweetly. "Because when I married you I got stung." WILLIAM BURNS
1677 Comercial st., E. Weymouth.

*** HONORABLE MENTION**

He—Do you know I am the champion figure skater in the State of Maine?

She (sarcastically) Well, that doesn't cut any ice with me

211 Fayerweather st., Cambridge.

Servant—There is a man to see you, sir.

Master—Tell him to take a chair.

Servant—He has, sir, he has taken them all. And they are moving out the piano now. He's from the furniture shop.

VIOLET HALLIN.
21 Springdale ave., E. Saugus.

Better Refuse a Date Now and Then

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX.

BEATRICE FAIRFAX will gladly answer questions regarding heart and home problems. Address her care of the Boston American. Write on one side of the paper only. If you wish a personal answer enclose self-addressed, stamped envelop. Otherwise, questions of interest will be answered through her daily column.

Miss Fairfax broadcasts over Station WLEX every evening except Thursday and Sunday at 6.35 p. m.

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

We are two girls 17 years old and quite recently have been meeting some nice boys at our other girl friend's house These boys mean nothing to us and we think that they never shall. Now here is our problem: Because of them we seem to be retarded in meeting other boys. Our other girl friends say that there is no harm in seeing them as we do, which is sometimes two or three times a week. Although we do enjoy ourselves with them, we don t think this is right. We seem to think that it is getting us nowhere except to give the boys the impression that they are the only ones we know, which is far from the truth. Please advise us whether you think it best to stop seeing them, even though there is no parental objections, or to continue seeing them?

MAIDENS IN DISTRESS

Dear Maidens in Distress—There is no known law which can compel you to go steadily with boys you are not interested in. If you think your apparent interest in them is hurting your chances with other boys, why not refuse a date now and then? Three times a week is quite frequent, it seems to me, for purely casual friendships. There are many young ladies engaged to their men who do not see them as often as that.

Beatrice Fairfax

Financial Market News, Stocks, Bonds, Commodities and Comment

Retailer Can't Get Supplies; Significant?

Government Should Create Revolving Fund to Spur Building

—By B. C. FORBES—

New York, Dec. 20—"I cannot get an order filled with any kind of merchandise except after unusually long delay."

This writes Frank Risse, watchmaker, jeweler and radio supplies merchant of Bloomington Wisconsin. He adds:

B. C. Forbes

"Other merchants along the street are in the same fix and have come to the conclusion that manufacturers have laid off men and have nothing on hand at all but a catalog, figuring on getting an order first and then making it up some way. Looks to me that the safety first idea is carried to extremes. Everyone seems to be out of what you want. I have come to the conclusion that very few of them have anything. Business is not so good that stocks are depleted from the heavy buying. My experience and my neighbors' is that we just can't get anything."

Does this condition rule in many parts of the country? If it does we may witness a very sharp increase in manufacturing almost over night. We know that New York shoppers have repeatedly complained about the meagerness of stocks. You cannot sell goods you have not got. Trying to sell samples will kill any merchant's profits.

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The Rev. George Martin Lauer, president of the Tree Export Company of Kent Ohio, writes notwithstanding the depression: "Need to postpone and economize are phrases that have been heard and advertising and sales efforts in the future will be directed toward those who can buy."

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"We are well satisfied with the outcome. Inasmuch as the couple's fees have been dropped and our regular dividends have been paid," says Mr. Dawes, "although net income will not quite equal last year's. We believe that the worst is over and we are prepared to go ahead under full steam next year."

Clifford A. Head of the couple known Lank Belt Company [illegible] substantial [illegible] company. The [illegible] feels that [illegible] the [illegible] of [illegible] the [illegible] of [illegible] the [illegible] of

UTILITIES IN LATE RALLY IN WALL STREET

RAILS "SHOT SOLD"

Railroads were the chief target in the attack on the market today, and, after a sharp decline, they rallied at about the lowest levels of the short sessions yet still sub antially above the low levels of the spectacular week.

The market made substantial headway during the first hour, but wavered toward the close, when reported gains and losses, mostly narrow, pieced out.

The utilities having been largely neglected in yesterday's advance, operators for the advance were able to bring them forward as reserves. Total sales aggregated 1,023,900 shares.

American Telephone, American Foreign Power, Electric Power & Light, North American, American Water Works, Cities de Power and International Business Machines gained about a point.

Johns Manville, Hudson and Westinghouse moved up about 2. Missouri Pacific common was an isolated firm spot in the rails, gaining 2½. Atchison lost 4, New York Central 3 and New Haven, Southern Railway, United Fruit and Auburn about 2 points.

U. S. Steel and Westinghouse were fractionally lower and General Electric steady.

AUTO DEMANDS

The report of next week's schedule of steel mill operations in the Youngstown area indicated that aggregate output would be sharply curtailed, owing largely to the holiday.

While some plants are slowing up for year-end inventories, sheet manufacturers are getting increasing business from the automobile trade. Newton Steel is increasing its output from 50 to 60 per cent of capacity.

The weekly mercantile reports showed little change in the trend of holiday trade. The volume of goods moved in some centers compares favorably with a year ago. Price reductions have been an important stimulus. It is notable that the winter catalog of one of the leading mail order houses shows price reductions ranging in the main from 10 to 18 per cent. Retail stores, issuing no catalogs, have in many cases anticipated the markdowns.

There was again scattered pressure against the grain markets, the further drop in commodity prices has caused some further discouragement, but the general point out that a fresh decline in commodities is a characteristic of the ending of a period of depression.

McGraw Hill's "Business Week," however, says it is being recognized that it is not quite necessary for a second flood of liquidation to work out the economic sins of the new era.

NEW DIVIDENDS ARE DECLARED

Newton Steel Co. declared regular quarterly dividend of $1.50 on the preferred, payable January 31.

Pittsburgh Steel Foundries Co. declared extra dividend of 12½ cents and regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents, payable January 2. In previous quarter an extra of 25 cents was paid.

Distributors Group, Inc., declared a quarterly dividend of 25 cents, payable January 1. This places the stock on a $1 annual

Consolidated Oil Corp. declared regular quarterly dividend of 62½ cents, in addition and $1.75 on preferred payable February 1.

Canadian Western Assurance Co. declared extra dividend of $1.12½, in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of 50 cents, both payable January 1.

North American Light & Power Co. declared regular quarterly dividends of 2 per cent on common, payable February 16.

United Cigar Votes Preferred Dividend

Directors of the United Cigar Stores Company voted a dividend of $6 a share on the preferred stock for the year 1931, to be paid in quarterly instalments of $1.50 each, the first payment due on February 1, 1931.

No dividends have been paid on the preferred stock since August 21, 1929, and the distribution of $6 a share for 1931 is a partial payment on accruals on the preferred, which now amount to about $7.50 a share.

Cash Register to Pay Full Dividends

New York, Dec. 20—National Cash Register Co. declared regular quarterly dividend of 75 cents on the Class A, payable Jan. 15. Dividend of $1.50 was declared for the year on the class "B" stock, payable Jan. 3. Cash Register estimates earnings for fourth quarter will be approximately $1,500,000. This more than covers the quarter's dividend on the class "A" stock and the class "B" dividend declared.

Rubber Is Steady

New York, Dec. 20—Rubber futures today were steady. Dec. 8.30, March 8.50, May 8.70. New contracts: Dec. and March unquoted; May 8.80.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Sales today (WU), 1,023,900 shares
Week ago, 2,888,900
Year ago, 5,545,600

1930 to date, 791,959,600
1929 to date, 1,102,365,700
1928 to date, 897,351,700

	1930 High	1930 Low	Div. in $	Sales Complete	Open	High	Low	Close	Net Change
A									
Adams Exp	90	70	4	1000	76¾	76¾	76¾	76¾	+¾
Adv Rumely pf	100	13		500	13	13	13	13	
Air Reduc	100	71	4	1000	91½	100	100⅛	100⅛	+⅛
Ajax Rubber	50	4		2400	5	5½	5	5½	+½
Alaska Juneau	10	6		300	6½	6½	6½	6½	
A P W Pap	70	6		700	6½	6½	6⅝	6⅝	
Allied Chem	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Allied Mills	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Allis Chal	100	68	4	600	68	68	68	68	
Alpha Port	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Bank Note	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Beet Sug	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Can	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Car & Fdy	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Chain	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Com Alco	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Encaus Tire	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Hide & Lea	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Ice	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Int Corp	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Linseed	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Locomotive	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Metal	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Metal pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Power & Light	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Radiator	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Rolling Mill	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Safety Razor	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Ship Building	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Smelting	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Smelting pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Steel Foundries	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Sugar	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Tel & Tel	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Tobacco	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Tobacco pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Water Works	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Woolen	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Am Woolen pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Anaconda Copper	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Archer Dan Mid	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Armour of Del A	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Armour of Del B	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Armour of Ill A	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Armour of Ill B	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Arnold Constable	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Art Loom	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Art Metal	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Asso Apparel	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Asso D G	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Atchison	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Atchison pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Atlantic Coast Line	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Atlantic Gulf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Atl Refin	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Atlas Stores	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Auburn Auto	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Avia Corp	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
B									
Baldwin Loc	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Balt & Ohio	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Balt & O pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Bangor & Ar	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Barnsdall A	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Beatrice Cr	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Beech Nut Pkg	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Belding H	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Bendix Aviation	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Best & Co	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Bethlehem Steel	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Beth Stl pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Bohn Alum	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Borden Co	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Borg Warner	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Briggs Mfg	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Briggs Stra	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Brln Am Tel	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Bkln Ln Gas	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Brown Shoe pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Brunswick Bal	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Bucyrus Erie	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Buicy Cy pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Bullard Co	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Bulova Watch	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Budd Mfg	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Budd Wheel	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Burroughs Add	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Butte Copper	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Butterick	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Byers A M	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
C									
Calahan Zinc	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Cal & Ariz	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Cal & Hecla	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Calumet & Ariz	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Can Pac	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Cannon Mills	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Capital Ad pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Case J I	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Case J I pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Caterpillar Tr	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Cav pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Celanese	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Celotex Co	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Celotex pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Cen Agurre	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Cerro De Pasco	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Certain-teed P	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Checker Cab	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Ches Corp	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Ches & Ohio	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Chi Alton	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Chi & Alton	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Chi Gt West	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Chi Gt W pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Chi M St P&P	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Chi M St P&P pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Chi & N W	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Chi Pneumatic	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
C R I & P	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
C R I & P 1st pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Chickasha C Oil	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Childs Co	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Chile Copper	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Chrysler	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Cities Service	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Cities Service pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Clev Cliffs Iron	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Coca Cola	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Colgate Palm	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Collins & Ayk	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Col Fuel & Iron	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Col Carbon	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Columbian Oil	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Com Solvents	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Comm Credit	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Comm Invest	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Comm Invest pf	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Comm Solvents	100	70	4	1000	70	70	70	70	
Comm Solvents pf

BRUINS BATTLE RANGERS AT GARDEN

BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN SPORTS
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1930

FANNING C WITH George Underwood

Beattie and Jerwa Are Sparkplugs for Bruins and Rangers

Rookies Help Both Teams Strike Gait Patrick, Silver Fox

Hockey Southpaws Outnumber Righthanders

Water seeks its proper level and so do hockey teams. A ter quarter post is reached in the Ice Derby, the Bruins an angers are edging nearer to each other, and the Chicago B awks, who have been setting the pace all season, are slack their hold. Both Bruins and Rangers were "off" in the firs of the race, the Bruins decidedly so, but injection of new bloo ut Boston and New York back into the pennant hunt. The Springfield rookies, Jack "Red" Beattie and Joe Jerwa, who this season this paper emphasized belonged in faster company, given the Ross and Patrick outfits new life. Another player deserves another chance in the Big Show is Leo Gaudreault o Providence Reds. Under the right manager Leo would shine star of the first magnitude.

Beattie apparently has remade the Bruins. All season Boston ked a spark plug at center. Cooney Wei- land has been of his play. e not only n't shoot- d pass- in his old- form, but conditions or thing, eel to it those ing sorties h which he ed to harass opposing defense last ar. Beattie has given the Bruins the "threat" they lacked t center ice this year.

Geo. Underwood

The former Springfield young- er is shooting and passing su- erbly. The smooth, gentle passes slides along the ice are ideal r a mate to take and drive at el. He is showing dazzling in- ividual brilliancy and is working ore and more into Ross' scheme f team play. Reds presence on he forward line should be an in- entive to Weiland. Cooney knows has to "step" to save his job.

Although Beattie and Jerwa were ked to get in the Big Show they re sorry to be sent to different ms. The pair were together on ancouver and were sent East to ringfield. They were inseparable pals and didn't like the idea of ing in opposing lineups.

erwa has strengthened the overs as much as Beattie has olved the Bruins. The kid made great showing in his New York ut, playing a great defensive e and drawing both Falcon de- e men out of position to sud- ly knive between them for a ree-setter drive at goal. Gotham ns already are forgetting Leo urgault in the deal they sent n to Ottawa and brought Joe to ew York.

erwa is of Polish extraction comes from the mining dis- t around Canmore, Alberta, great nursery of minor league key players. Few of the ers have made the Big ow, but it is a coincidence t Jerwa's running mate on e Rangers is a former miner om Sudbury, Bill Regan.

DIT CLAPPER SHINES

Dit Clapper continues to look be- r with every game. The big, fast ugy fellow begins to look the best ite on the ice. Fast as a streak, is rugged enough to stand all s pounding, and he is about the st feared shooter in the league.

Does the fact that Clapper is one of the few right-hand shooters in hockey help to make him such a Nemesis of the goalies? We believe so.

Did you ever consider how the southpaws outnumber the right- anders on the ice. We mean left- handed shooters. Many a right- shooter shoots from the left. The right hand shooters outnumber the left-handers at a ratio of at least nine to one.

man, Galbraith, Shore and Gainer of the Bruins "southpaw" shooters. Ot- ers are Butch Keeling, Bun Frank Boucher are Boucher, Neville, Emms Shepherd and Masseau Ottawa's chem- ing trio were all southpaws. Nighbors, Broad- Dunney, George Boucher and Cochrane all drove from the south side. Of 45 men who re- ed to the N Y Americans at season, only four were left-handers.

Clapper not only is a right hand shooter but as Myles Lane recently pointed out to us Dit ally is a "cover" shooter. When down near the cage he invari- ably throws his left hip and shoulder in such a position that he "covers" his drive and the opposing goalie can't see at just what angle the shot is coming from.

Another thing which makes Clap- per a most valuable asset is that like Eddie Shore he has a great "hockey head." He is a "smart" player.

HOCKEY HEADS

Early this season we sat with Lester Patrick, the Silver Fox of Hockey, watching some minor leaguers. One of the youngsters greatly impressed us. He swept up and down the ice like a streak hawk. We thought he got his shots beautifully.

"There's a kid who belongs the Big Show, Lester," we op enthusiastically.

"Watch him awhile and I t you will change your mind," erily remarked Patrick and explained. "He hasn't a hoc head, yet. With more experi he may get it. You never tell. Some of 'em never do.

"That's the difference betw major league and minor le hockey players. I was fam with John McGraw the other and John tells me that very o is the difference between a jor league ball player and minor league player.

"Watch that kid out there the ice. He skates just as and checks just as hard as one of my stars. But look at waste movements. See how thinking his rushes and how h hazard are his shots. Looka t Looka that! Why if any of stars were guilty of that chuck 'em off the ice. The w was in a clear position for shot but that dazzling kid yours refused to pass. No he No head!

"Yeah, many of these youn sters play as fast as the b leaguers," concluded Patrick "but they don't think as fas Brains wins on the ice as well a everywhere else. That's wh hockey player needs seasoning. He must learn by experience. But as I said before some 'em never do. You can't make a smart hockey player out of a dumbbell."

THE SILVER FOX

To your humble columnist Lester Patrick is one of the most interesting and colorful figures hockey ever produced. Like Art Ross of the Bruins Patrick is a great a manager as he was a player.

Hockey is about the most strenuous of all sports and pastimes. Yet Lester Patrick played league hockey regularly until he was 34 years of age. For four years after that he frequently broke into the game as a substitute.

Even the Silver Fox himself, when he closed the 1921 season, thought he had donned the skates for the last time. Lester was 38 years of age when he bade the competitive end of the game a last farewell. Yet four years later, when he was 42, he jumped back into harness and played so well that his team got into the finals in the fight for the Stanley Cup.

Patrick then was manager of the Victoria Club of the Western Hockey League. His team was going great. Suddenly old Hurd Luck hit it. Three of his stars were injured within one week so seriously they were out for the rest of the season. That is what made the 42-year-old Patrick jump back into fighting togs again. He went through the remainder of the season, playing 25 games and finishing second only to Eddie Shore then with Edmonton. His team beat Saskatoon for the right to play the Montreal Maroons for the Stanley Cup.

The Silver Fox himself didn't get in the Stanley Cup series that year. The week before the first game Bun Cook caught Lester with a hard swing and broke Patrick's right hand.

There is not a shrewder, finer judge of hockey players in the world, nor a more capable leader than the Silver Fox, who will lead his Rangers on the ice against the Bruins here tonight.

Fights Last Night

By the Associated Press

New York—Eddie Schaaf, Boston, outpointed Max Baer, (all scale 158); Bob Olin, New York, and Joe Bascovic, Binghamton, N. Y., drew (10).

Detroit—Jackie Fields, Los Angeles, knocked out Ricky Lawless, Syracuse, N. Y., (8); Johnny Datto, Cleveland, knocked out Johnny Perky, Windsor, Ont., (1).

Chicago—Jackie Reisdorf, Duluth, Minn., knocked out Aristelio Mata, (quality).

Toronto—Ted Wolgast, Philadelphia, outpointed Willie Davies, Chatterol, Pa., (10).

NEW ROOKIE, OLD STAR AND SILVER FOX

LESTER PATRICK
" BEATTIE, great young rookie, is "burning up the ice" he Bruins. The Springfield youngster has given the forline some needed "pep." Dit Clapper is playing a sensa- l game on the wing. Lester Patrick, the Silver Fox of the

"RED" BEATTIE

"DIT" CLAPPER
ice, will lead the Rangers against the Bruins in the Garden tonight. It wasn't so long ago when Patrick was an active player and one of the very best in the pro game. And he has few superiors as a manager.

GEORGE IS DUE HERE MONDAY

Ed George, world's heavyweight wrestling champion as a result of his recent victory over Gus Sonnenberg, is on his way East for his world's title bout with Bibber McCoy, which will be staged at the Arena on Thursday night, under the direction of Paul Bowser.

George, former Michigan athlete, is the greatest college wrestler to ever smash his way into the pro ranks. He has a background which is rich in mat history. He was heavyweight wrestling champion of the Big Ten Conference, A. A. U. title holder and one of Uncle Sam's representatives at the Olympics.

George is six feet two inches tall and weighs 220 pounds. He has appeared several times in Boston rings and always made a big impression with the fans.

The new champion has only lost one bout as a pro. That was his first contest with Sonnenberg in Los Angeles when both wrestlers were knocked unconscious in a head-on collision. In the return bout, George tied the title.

George will engage in a tune up bout at Worcester on Monday night when he will clash with Jack Wagner of Providence. He will then come to Boston to finish his training for his meeting with McCoy.

KNOCKNE DENIES HE WILL QUIT

Minneapolis, Dec. 20 (INS)—"That story is evidently is the work of some fiction writer with a powerful imagination."

In this Knute Rockne, famous coach of the Notre Dame football team emphatically denied by long distance telephone from Rochester the story that he intended asking for a year's vacation and turning over his coaching duties to a staff of former Notre Dame greats.

"At the present time I entertain no thought of quitting my coaching duties at Notre Dame. From time to time stories of that nature have come to the public's attention, and now once and for all I want to deny the rumor. I am down here solely for a recheck of my physical condition, and after the two-week stay ern will return to Notre Dame. True enough, I will take a brief vacation, but I intend to be back with my boys at the start of the next fall gridiron campaign."

The South Bend story declared that rumors around the Irish school were that on his return from Rochester the moulder of champions would ask for a year's vacation in order to get a much-needed

Jacobs' Row With Solons May Cost Schmeling Title

New York, Dec. 20 (AP) -Joe Jacobs is Max Schmeling's manager under a five-year contract, but he has to read the papers these days to find out what the New York State Athletic Commission wants the German heavyweight to do, and thereby hangs a tale that may cost "Der Maxie" his heavyweight crown.

On Tuesday the commission cabled Schmeling in Germany that he must agree in 15 days to defend his title against Jack Sharkey. Maxie has replied that Jacobs is his manager and fully qualified to go before the commission and talk it all over with the boxing czars.

And that's where the rub comes in. The commission and Jacobs are not on speaking terms and have not been for some months. The commission does not recognize Jacobs as a manager because of his suspension in the controversy over Arthur Buelow's managerial claims on Schmeling. Jacobs has filed no managerial contract on Schmeling with the commission, which considers the German heavyweight a free agent.

Just what the next move will be no one was willing to predict, but it was considered probable that if Schmeling fails to accept Sharkey's challenge in the specified time he will lose the heavyweight title so far as the New York State Commis-

Winkler Released by Boston Tigers

Hal Winkler, goalie, whose play in the Tigers' cage has been unsatisfactory, has been released Manager Eddie Power told Al "Frenchy" Lacroix, who officiated in the nets last Tuesday and last Thursday, that he will be the regular goalie for the Boston team of the Canadian-American League.

The Tigers will play the Indians at Springfield tonight and the two teams will play a return game at the Garden next Tuesday.

The Powermen hope to win tonight and also expect to be victorious next Tuesday, which will be the first time the Tigers have the Bruins' regular night for a

Charity Game Nets $115,000 for Charit

New York, Dec. 20 (AP)—T football game between the N York Giants and Knute Rockn Notre Dame all-stars earned $1 53 for Mayor Walker's commi for unemployment relief.

Exclusive of the game were 666, or less than 10 per cent of gross proceeds. The Giants the game 22—0.

Giants Expect Big Baseball Seas

New York, Dec. 23 (AP)—E ive alterations now under w the Polo Grounds will increa seating capacity of the New Giants' home by about 1600.

New boxes are being where the press box was for years—in the lower deck grandstand directly behin plate

Londos Wins

Baltimore, Dec. 20 (INS Londos, world's heav wrestling champion, took utes to throw Carl Pojello final match of a program benefit of the unemploy The receipts were $3500.

Egyptian Boxer Succum to the Tunney Influence

New York, Dec. 20 (AP)—An other heavyweight has gone lit erary. "Prince" Safah El-Din, Egyptian boxer, will deliver a lecture before the drama ciety of the 160th St. Y. M Sunday afternoon, accord his publicity agent. The has not been disclosed.

POLO TWIN BILL AT ARMORY

The Westwood and 119th Cavalry will battle it out in a Class A league contest and the 102nd Field Artillery and the Lancers will oppose each other in a Class B affair in the Boston Indoor Pony Polo League twin bill at the Commonwealth Armory tonight.

Westwood is favored to win over the Cavalry as the latter team was disappointing in losing to the 102nd Field Artillery by a large score in the opening league clash. Westwood, also known as the Sharpshooters, will line up with three experienced players, John Hopewell at No 1, Dudley L. Milliken at No. 2 and Captain Frederick D Sharp, Harvard polo coach, at back. The lesser-handicapped Cavalry plans to shift Lieut. Brigham to No. 1 and Captain Mangini to back in an effort to click. Captain Everett Jenkins will again play No. 3 position.

The Crusaders have available three players who won the Class B championship last year as the 51st Artillery Brigade, Colonel Roger Eckfeldt, Captain Harvey Moore and Captain Theodore Storer. Samuel Hopkins, captain of the Yale intercollegiate polo team in 23, has also joined this team. The winning lineup will be Eckfeldt, No. 2 and Captain Frederick D Sharp, Harvard polo coach, at back. The players will probably alternate considerably.

Lieuts. Lenox, led by Gardner Putney at the back position, will have a newcomer, Lyle Phillips, former Academy polo coach, at No. 2 and H. Richard MacRae at No 1. Jasper Blandon, from the town of Andover, will be the substitute.

Stolethwaite to Stay at Wisconsin

Madison, Wis., Dec. 20 (AP) Thistlethwaite will coach University of Wisconsin football team next fall unless the board of regents does something unexpected. He had been under contract the 1929 season because regents failed to produce champions and it was reported he would be released.

The athletic council at a special meeting, however, failed to act on the matter, indicating it was satisfied if the board of regents was. Wisconsin's football team has won a contract signing as a member of the faculty appointed from year to year.

Radio Announcers Better Start Eating Broken Glass

Beard, Ind., Dec. 20 (AP) a little good news for radio nouncers and headline writers ies of a few members of 1930 Notre Dame freshman ll squad:

Coach Bombs, Buzalits, Flanagan, Hrutsky, Iasi, Jandoli, Krause, Melinkovich, Leahowicz, Olsinger, Plotock, Pivarnik, Paskewicz, Palmisano, Rinaldi, Reagante, Repine, Shreker, Sueher, Slusarka, Witucki and Wiedle.

Yes, the Irish are represented: Cahill, Connors, Carney, Conley, Collins, Connely, Flynn, Gillespie, Healy, McCrann, McGuff, O'Neill, O'Dea, O'Connor, O'Brien, Ryan and Whelan.

LOCAL SIX OUT TO INCREASE LEAD IN RACE

LINEUP AT GARDEN

BOSTON BRUINS		N. Y. RANGERS
Harris, lw		W. Cook
Weiland, c		Boucher
Clapper, rw		F. Cook
Mitchell, rw, id		Johnson
Shore, rd		Jerwa
C. Thompson, g		Roach

Spares, Boston—Barry, Beattie, Oliver, Chapman, Galbraith, Gagnier, Pratt, Owen. For New York—Peters, P. Thompson, Murdock, Keeling, Rodden, Carrigan, Wells, Regan. Face off at 8:30 p. m.

The Bruins go after their fourth straight victory at the Garden, this evening, against the New York Rangers.

Leading the American division and leading all National League teams in points, the Rossmen are setting a clip now that is comparable to their sensational play of last winter and the feeling is general that the team has finally arrived.

Rangers, stung by that 4-2 victory the Bruins scored on New York ice on Thursday night, can be counted upon to come back tonight at top speed to reverse the decision in their first local appearance of the season.

The Bruins seem to hold a great spell over the Rangers, who have been unable to win from the Boston team for two years.

The game tonight, the first Saturday night home game of the season for the natives, proves doubly interesting to Boston fans because it not only brings together teams that have been bitter rivals for years, but it shows the new Boston favorite, Jack "Red" Beattie, playing his first home game against Joe Jerwa, his former teammate, who went to the Rangers in the settlement of the Pappin-Gagnier ownership of the former Vancouver players.

Beattie has caught on with the Bruins beautifully. In two games he has scored two goals and assisted on one point.

Jerwa did not score against the Bruins, but his rushes always were dangerous and he was covered closely.

Beattie Off to Fine Start With Bruins

Beattie's play has fitted in nicely with that of Marty Barry and Harry Oliver. The newly organized trio already is rated as one of the great lines of hockey. Barry has been brilliant in his work of playing the greatest hockey of his career while Oliver's sharpshooting has been another scoring pinnacle to put him in a position where he can take scoring honors from Howie Morenz. Dit Clapper, Bruin fellow, the present big goal and assist men of the league.

The Bruins have three lines, the most powerful the Frank Boucher, Bill Cook, Bunny Cook trio. Then the Galbraith, Dave Trottier, Wally, the former Tiger; Paul Thompson, Eddie Rodden, Murray Murdoch, Carrigan and Peters are pushing for spares, not to mention Bill Regan, former Tiger defense player.

Bruins came back from New York in excellent trim for the game. Harold Darragh is still in the hospital being treated for the ruptured muscle he received in the Detroit game, and as a result Dutch Gainor is treated for the tissue veins has been suspended until Darragh gets back. Dutch jumped into the lineup on Thursday night and teamed with George Owen for the first goal against the Rangers.

Owen Playing Better Than Ever Before

Owen incidentally is playing the best hockey of his Bruins career. His speed, his stick handling and his scoring promises to make him one of the stars of the National League this season. He is more popular than ever and he is one of the most colorful players in the game.

The Garden will have seats on sale today and also before the game. Additionally there will be 1500 rush seats and 2000 admissions.

The Bruins by a victory will further clinch first place in the division and improve their record to seven wins out of the last eight starts.

Navy Schedule Leaves Army No Date

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 20—The schedule of the Naval Academy football team for 1931 was announced today. No mention has been made as to a possible game with the Military Academy, though such a game could be played on the second Saturday in December, as it was this year. The schedule:

Oct. 3, William and Mary at Annapolis; 10, University of Maryland at Baltimore or Washington; 17, University of Delaware at Annapolis; 24, Princeton at Princeton; 31, New York University at Annapolis; Nov. 7, Ohio State at Columbus; 14, Notre Dame at Baltimore; 21, Southern Methodist at Annapolis; 28, Worcester Cycle at Annapolis. Dec. 5, University of Pennsylvania at Philadelphia.

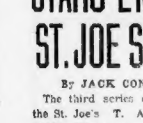
42 Golden Glove Bouts to Be Staged Tonight

LEADING PURE STARS ENTER ST. JOE SHOW

By JACK CONWAY

The third series of bouts in the St. Joe's T. A. Society's Golden Glove tournament will be staged at Mechanics Building tonight.

There will be 42 bouts, and to make sure that each of them will be run off before midnight, Billy Cuddy has decided to start his show at 7 p. m.



Jack Conway

There will be bouts tonight at 112, 118, 125, 135, 147 and 160 pounds, and in the light heavyweight division. In addition, the finals of the 105's and 160's of last week's show will also be run off.

The final matches in the Golden Glove tournament will be held at the Arena on Jan. 5.

Cuddy will be down close to the ring tonight getting a line on the ability of the different boys, as he will soon make his selections for the international bouts which he plans to stage at the Boston Garden.

International Boxing Show at Arena

"Big Jim" McLeod, who hails from Delhaunt University, will represent Halifax in the heavyweight division at the international ring show at the Arena on December 29. McLeod is the Maritime champion and his followers believe he is going somewhere in the heavyweight division. "Big Jim" weighs 175 pounds and is packing on weight.

Murray Ring, another heavyweight, will also come here with the Halifax team. Halifax will be represented by Tom Foley in the 147-pound division, and by Percy Cosgrove in the 126-pound class.

The Halifax boxers will test their ability against the representatives of Boston, Pittsburgh, New York and Philadelphia.

Roberti and Santa Are Ring Giants

Perhaps it would be wise for Eddie Mack to have the Argonne A. A.'s ring at the Arena reinforced for the 10-round bout between Roberto Roberti and Joe Santa, which he will stage on New Years' Day afternoon. Santa scales 208 pounds, Roberti 239, a total of 508 pounds. This is more than quarter of a ton.

Mack stated today that he will start his show at 3 p. m.

Zeramby and Hanlon to Weigh 138 Pounds

Contracts on file at the office of the boxing commission reveal that Jake Zeramby and Johnny Hanlon have agreed to weigh in at 138 pounds at 12 o'clock for their 15 round bout at Salem on New Year's Day afternoon. This is the same notch Jake and Johnny waged in at for their recent torrid bout which was won by Zeramby after an uphill battle.

The going was even going into the 10th round, Zeramby won the duke by a hurricane finish.

Canamare Stops Nemis in Fifth

Lewiston, Me., Dec. 20—Joe Canamare of Brooklyn defeated Louis Nemis of Bangor in five rounds before a crowded house at a charity boxing show here. Canamare inflicted heavy punishment in the second and fifth rounds. After Nemis had taken a nine count as a result of lefts to the body and chin and was helpless against the ropes, Referee Breen stopped the fight.

BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN SPORTS

EAGLE QUARTET SET FOR WINTER FLIGHTS

TOMMY MEAGHER BRENDON MOYNAHAN TOM DAILEY CAPT. O'BRIEN

BOSTON COLLEGE'S veteran two-mile relay team which should be one of the best in the nation this season. These four Eagles ran together a year ago and set up a remarkable record. They are Capt. Jack O'Brien, Tom Dailey, Tommy Meagher and Brendon Moynahan. Ryder will start them in the Brooklyn College games in New York on January 24.

Ryder Expects Much of B. C. Two-Mile Relay

With Capt. Jack O'Brien, Brendon Moynahan, Tom Daley and Tommy Meagher rapidly rounding into mid-season form, Coach Jack Ryder of Boston College has prospects of the finest two-mile relay team in B. C. history.

This quartet has been together for the past two years and last season set up a fine record, even though it failed to win any championships.

Now the boys are raring to go. And from the way things look at the Heights, they will have to travel fast if they wish to retain their places. In fact, several of the upcoming freshmen are already threatening to break up the two-year-old combination.

With Donald Fleet and Bob Jordan pressing the regulars hard, Ryder believes that his team will have hit its best stride by the time the Christmas holidays are over and will then be ready to sail through the long schedule.

Track has been rather "passe" at the Heights for the last few years. It seemed as though everything was working against Ryder. As soon as he got a winning combination together something happened to destroy all his hopes.

Last year, it was the same old story. At the start of the season the Eagle had one of the finest mile relays in the country. Then Woodward and Finn, the fastest quartermilers in the college, withdrew from school.

Ryder Becoming Confident Again

This year things are a bit different and Jack is getting back his confidence. He has some great prospects in Fleet, Jordan, McCauley, Cary, and Moynahan, who constituted the nucleus of his championship yearling team last year.

With these added to his veterans, Bob Sullivan, Captain O'Brien, Tom O'Brien, Moynahan Daley, Meagher Sacco, Bernie Trumm, Downes, Coach Ryder has a bunch of trackmen who can hold their own in any company.

The one mile team is practically settled with the exception of one place. Bob Sullivan, a veteran of two years, is assured of a place as is Donald Fleet, the sophomore flash. The third position, Ryder has intimated, will go to Ed Cary another sophomore.

The athletes will work out at the Heights three times a week during the Christmas holidays which began today. Coach Ryder has ordered his boys to run on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays only, until classes re-open on January 5.

The Eagles will open their schedule five days later when Ryder will send almost the entire squad into the annual Y. M. C. A. meet held by the Boston Y. The team will engage in all in fourteen meets indoors and on the cinders.

The schedule follows:

Jan. 10—Y. M. C. A. games at Boston; 24, Brooklyn College games at New York; 31, William Penn Memorial games at Boston.

Feb. 7—Millrose games at New York; 14, B. A. A. games (N. E. A. A. A. U. championships), at Boston; 16, New York A. C. games at New York.

March 7—I. C. A. A. indoor championships at New York; 17, New York K. C. C. outdoors.

April 25-26—Penn relays at Philadelphia; May 1-2—Greater Boston meet at Harvard Stadium; 9, West Point at West Point; 15, Holy Cross at Worcester; 17-18, N. E. Intercollegiates; 29-30, I. C. A. A. championships at Philadelphia.

ALL-EAST TEAM PICKED TO WIN

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 20 (INS)—With the the arrival of the East team, the cast is complete for the annual East-West Shrine charity football game here on Dec. 27.

The men who will represent the West in the annual classic got into town yesterday, with the exception of two, and were dined, feted and sent through a hard workout.

Coaches Dana S. Bible, Nebraska, and Percy Locee, San Francisco Olympic Club, announced they were highly pleased with the spirit, punch and ability displayed by the gridders from the West of the Mississippi, especially the kicking and passing of Jarring Jim Hagen of Kansas; the snappy signal calling and open field dashes of little 145-pound Jake Wilson, Baylor University, and the all-around class of the two first-string guards, Beckett, California, and Krech, Baylor, who today are real all-Americans.

Albert and Christensen, guard and tackle, respectively from Oregon, reported today.

Andy Kerr, Colgate, and Dick Hanley, Northwestern, pulled into town with the eastern aggregation which, because of its size and reputation was immediately established favorite to win.

Such stars as Baker, end, Northwestern; Van Bibber, tackle, Purdue; Linehan, guard, Yale; Sinnott, center, Fordham; Bruder, halfback, Northwestern, and Marcuse, fullback, Colgate, didn't stir up much enthusiasm in the breasts of the Westerners.

Alabama Eleven on Way to Coast

Aboard Crimson Tide Football Special, Dec. 20 (INS)—Alabama's championship football squad, 33 players strong, today was speeding over the first lap of the long journey to Pasadena. It is there on New Year's Day that the Crimson Tide expects to eclipse its own previous brilliance in the bold endeavor to beat Washington State.

The football party, headed by Coach Wallace Wade, and accompanied by more than 100 supporters, is traveling on a de luxe special train. It is scheduled to reach Pasadena late Tuesday, the only prolonged pause being at the Grand Canyon, where the party will explore one of Nature's wonders.

There will be no workouts for the team en route to the coast. The last practice was held just before the players boarded their special. The next will be staged next Wednesday afternoon in the very shadows of the stadium where, New Year's an Alabama team will play for the third time in the last six years.

Fields Knocks Out Lawless at Detroit

Detroit, Dec. 20—Jackie Fields, former welterweight champion, knocked out Bucky Lawless of Syracuse, N. Y., in the fifth round of a scheduled 10-round bout at Olympia Arena.

B. U. TO NAME NEW GRID COACH

Boston University will not reappoint Hilary Mahaney as varsity grid coach for next season. His successor will be selected the latter part of this week, according to authentic information received today.

The Boston University athletic council held a secret meeting last Friday to settle the coaching matter, but after the session it was stated that the question was still unsettled. It is believed that the delay was due to the failure to secure Mahaney's successor.

It is expected that Luke Kelley, former Holy Cross line coach, will take over the reins next fall.

Kelley appears to be the logical man, providing he will accept the job. He has had several years of experience at Holy Cross and is acquainted with the Boston University situation, as he has helped Mahaney at times.

Alumni Demand Mahaney's Release

A dissatisfied alumni group started demanding Mahaney's release as soon as the season was over. A petition was sent to the athletic council asking that the coach be removed. This year's lettermen, however, were behind Mahaney to a man.

At a meeting of the lettermen held two days ago a petition was drawn up and signed by the twenty-two members present asking that Mahaney and Marsters be retained next fall.

It seems, however, as though the alumni agitation is too great to be checked.

Mahaney has been connected with the Boston University coaching staff since he was graduated from Holy Cross in 1925. Immediately after his graduation he was offered a coaching job as assistant to "Doc" Whelan, then head coach at B. U.

FORE RIVER TO MEET WOBURN

The league leading Fore River soccer team will take on the Woburn Civic eleven at Fore River Field, Quincy, tomorrow, in a feature week-end contest in this section.

In the last game between the elevens, the Shipbuilders copped full points, winning 2 to 0, with Bobby Blair notching both counters.

The Woburn team expects to do better tomorrow for its new Irish stars, Mike McDonough and John O'Brien, will be included in the lineup as well as Paddy Wallace and Tommy Adams.

With this quartet displaying the brand of soccer which they are capable of, the Shipbuilders will find the going hard.

Today's feature game takes place at Worcester, where the Morgans of that city entertain the Victoria Mills eleven of Thornton, R. I.

In the American League two first class attractions are offered New England fans, the Providence and Pawtucket eleven battling at Pawtucket and the Whalers and Giants fighting it out at New Bedford.

Essare Wins Feature Race

New Orleans, La., Dec. 20 (US)—R. P. Waits' consistent gelding, Essare, charged down the stretch for a nose victory over Silver Card in the Studio Club purse, fourth and banner number of the card.

The winner was ridden by Jockey J. Smith, who completed a double when he crossed the judge's stand in the race. He was up on Murdie in the first number.

IF *You Don't Know—*

Not so many decades ago horse and buggy races were held on the hard sand of Lynn beach when the tide was out . . . Jack Russell, Red Sox pitcher, and his bride, a Gainesville, Fla., girl, will make their home in Boston after the honeymoon . . . George Tuohey, late Hub wrestling promoter, always considered Christmas night the best in the year on which to stage a mat show . . . He figured that the fathers of families became all nerved up listening to the children running all over the house with their new toys and wanted somewhere to go by nightfall to escape the noise . . . Those who are intimate with Dr. Tommy Richards, Harvard grid physician, don't believe that Ben Tickner played all season with a bad heart . . . They know that even a minor ailment or injury will cause the Crimson physician to keep a player out of action . . . And the reputation of the player or the needs of the team never cuts any ice with him . . . The success of Gus Sonnenberg in the wrestling game caused the mat promoters to go big for college athletes . . . Ed George, new champion, is a Michigan man. McCoy comes from Holy Cross. McMillan from Illinois and Munn from Nebraska . . . And the success of George Owen with the Bruins has all hockey club owners rushing about looking for college ice stars . . . Knute Rockne says friendship was responsible for the success of the Notre Dame team this past season . . . Lack of it was certainly responsible for the poor showing of the Penn eleven . . . Roberto Roberti is the finest physical specimen in the ring game, according to physical culture experts . . . Ban Johnson has refused to have anything to do with big league baseball since retiring as president of the American League.

"Y" Title Track Meet on Jan. 10

The annual indoor track and field games of the Huntington ave. Y. M. C. A. will be held next year on Saturday, Jan. 10, at the "Y" gym. Five N. E. A. A. A. U. title events are on the program, two for women and three for men.

The senior and junior 40 yards dash championship races are the title events, listed for the woman and a fast field will enter each of these events. The junior 600 yards run, junior running high jump and junior 16 pound shot competition are the three events in which the men will battle for the N. E. championships.

New Letter System Adopted at B. U.

Boston University's athletic council broke an old rule when it voted to award letters for major sports by participation in certain games instead of the old method which required a number of minutes in action in order to secure the ensignia.

The hockey letter games will be on Jan. 7 with Yale at New Haven, and Feb. 27, with the University of New Hampshire at the Boston Arena; basketball letter games, Feb. 11 with Tufts at the Arena, Feb. 28 with New Hampshire University in Boston.

SWIM MEET FOR BOYS TODAY

By GEORGE W. GRIMM

The season's first City of Boston swimming meets for boys will be held in the Cabot st. gym pool, Roxbury, this afternoon starting at 4:30 o'clock.

More than 100 boys from various parts of Greater Boston are competing in the meet, which is the third in the series staged by the park department, a men's meet having been held in Curtis Hall, Jamaica Plain, Wednesday evening, and a women's meet Thursday evening at Cabot st.

The 25 yards novice freestyle swim for boys 14 years of age and under has attracted the largest entry list, 34 youngsters signifying their intention of competing. The 50 yards freestyle swim for lads 15 years of age and under has attracted 20 boys.

The Roxbury and Charlestown divisions of the Boys' Club of Boston have entered many boys in the various events and the rivalry between the two branches is of a keen nature.

Londos Signs to Meet Holuban

New York, Dec. 20—Jim Londos, recognized in some states as world heavyweight wrestling champion, will defend his title against Ferene Holuban, Magyar grappler, at Madison Square Garden on December 29, it was announced by Promoter Jack Curley.

Holuban climaxed a long string of victories last Monday by throwing Wladek Zbyszko, former champion, in seven minutes.

LERMOND MUST BE UNATTACHED

It was announced today by J. Frank Facey, chairman of the registration committee of the N. E. A. A. U. that Leo Lermond of Nahant, famous middle-distance runner, will be unable to represent the Boston A. A. until Feb. 28, and must run unattached until that date.

Lermond transferred his amateur athletic registration to the Southern Pacific Association last spring. He returned to the East after competing at the national title games in Pittsburgh in August.

His transfer of registration back to the New England district was sent him at his request. This transfer was dated Oct. 15. Facey did not receive the transfer until Oct. 28, and according to A. A. U. ruling, five months elapse after that date before Lermond will be eligible to represent the B. A. A., or any club in this district.

Six More Robins Sign Up for 1931

New York, Dec. 20 (AP)—A sniff dozen more Brooklyn Robins have signed on the dotted line, the club announced today. Signed contracts have been received from pitchers Ray Moss and V. Mungo; infielders Eddie Moore, Bob Reis and Ned Rhein, and outfielder Bob Parham. Of these, Parham, Reis and Mungo are recruits, the others veterans.

NEW SCHOOL LEAGUE FORMED

The long expected official announcement of the formation of a new school sports league was made today, with five schools being titled the Middlesex League.

Winchester, which has resigned from the Mystic Valley League, will be a member of the new league, with Stoneham, Concord, Maynard, Melrose and Reading and Belmont high schools.

All branches of sport for boys and girls will be fostered by the new league. Schools of the circuit are evenly matched, Belmont's 621 pupils make the school the biggest in the league, Stoneham, with 328 pupils, is the smallest institution of the circuit.

All-College Nine Off for Havana

New York, Dec. 20 (INS)—An all-star college baseball team, selected by sports writers and university coaches, sails from Philadelphia today for Havana where two games will be played with a Cuban nine. Another game will be played at Cristobal. The trip is being sponsored by a college publication.

The squad includes the following players:

Outfielders— Milton Mills, Purdue; Eddie McGrath, Harvard, and Jimmy Bergen, N. Y. U.

Pitchers— Walter Masters, Penn; Steve Traudnach, Bucknell; Henry Norzicky, Georgetown, and Horsmidas Aube, Fordham.

Infielders— Bill Sullivan, Notre Dame; Howard Eyth, Carnegie Tech, and Jack Libezoy, Penn State.

Catcher— Frank Garrity, Holy Cross.

OUTDOOR SPORTS :-: :-: BY KNOTT

D'YE MEAN TO SAY Y'AINT BEEN ABLE TO GET ANY TICKETS TO THE BIG FOOT BALL GAME? JUST LEAVE IT TO ME. MY BOY IS A FRESHMAN AN' HE CAN GET YOU ANYTHING Y'WANT. WOT WILL IT BE, A BOX?
YEH, A BOX OUT ON THE SIDELINES WILL BE O.K. —HOW WILL I GET PAST THE GATE?
THAT BOY O'YOURS HAS BEEN A FRESHMAN THREE YEARS NOW, AIN'T HE?
ALL THAT DIZZY SON OF HIS CAN GET IS LOW NUMBERS IN THE INTELLIGENCE TESTS
HE CAN'T BE SO DUMB— OUR JUNIOR TELLS ME HE'S DEAN OF THE FRESHMEN
EAT
BUS STOP

ONE FOR THE BOOK

KNUTE ROCKNE, NOTRE DAME COACH, WAS BORN IN NORWAY, EMIGRATED TO AMERICA WHEN A BOY AND AT TWENTY-FIVE, WAS CAPTAIN OF THE NOTRE DAME SQUAD

NO WONDER THEIR SIGNALS BAFFLE EVERYBODY

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A Message to Men

WHETHER you have your clothing made by an exclusive tailor or choose high quality ready-to-wear suits, you can select no finer cloth than Ram's Head fabrics.

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STYLES THAT SET THE STYLE

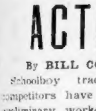
EVENING AMERICAN SPORTS

SCHOOLBOY TRACK STARS ACTIVE

By BILL CONNELL

Schoolboy track and field competitors have finished their preliminary workouts and next week will open intensive training for the indoor season which starts in two weeks.

Some of the stars of a year ago are back and the new speedsters, just pushing to the fore, will force the headliners and should make the coming season one of the best of recent years in Greater Boston.



Bill Connell

Track and field have taken long steps forward in school ranks in the past few seasons. Malden, Somerville, Everett and other big schools have taken up the sport and their teams have leaped forward the top to make the going tougher than ever for the leaders.

Two of the best school performers who will enter the lists this winter are Tony Geniawski of Lynn English and Jim Colligen of Newton in the 12-pound shot. Both boys can shove the ball better than 50 feet, so records in this event are in danger.

Dash Records in Danger

Art Jannell of Lynn English and Holmes of Newton will be after dash titles. Jannell has a bit of advantage on the Newton flash because the latter does not get in much practice while Jannell trains regularly. Holmes will be sufficiently fast to push Jannell and the speed kings so that record times in the dash are likely to be tested before the season ends.

The boys named are only a few of the number of fine school athletes who will compete this year. All are training now and in a week or so should show just how well they will be able to perform in the dual and intercollegiate meetings the year.

The fighting for points should be the best of the recent seasons and frequently the fans have some high school track entertainment in store.

Arlington High Has Strong Sextet

Arlington high should be up near the top of the Suburban Ice Hockey League this winter. Capt. Ray Thomas and seven other cubs are here with the Arlington squad. The team is figured to push and perhaps defeat Melrose for the title.

Today's Scratches

HAVANA SCRATCHES.

1—**Pink Blossom, Wild Olive, Loyola, Command, Tangram, Sky Chief.**

2—**Your Play, Thomas, Patrick, Robina Seth, Bar Sinister, Buchen.**

3—**Our Doctor, Spanish Bullet, Nigrinus, Mysterio, Sethlett, Myg-le Flute.**

4—**Chalsan, Broken Stone, Benth Cup, Si Relief.**

7—**Bedford, Mainsheet, Bee Jay, Bobbin' Along, Sun Lynn, Brewsary, Corposant, Flunsder.**

Weather clear; track fast.

NEW ORLEANS SCRATCHES

2—**Negolda.**

4—**Bright Comet, Jaz Age.**

7—**Hazel Benson.**

Weather cloudy; track heavy.

Havana Entries

FOR SUNDAY, DEC. 21.

FIRST RACE—Four-year-olds and up, claiming, $800; six furlongs (1:81): Blackberry 108, Lindsay Play 110, Smart 110, xSun Lyan 106, xCarin 107, Lassie 102, Bedford Saint 111, xPrefatiner 106, Stylish Chick 111, xChehalis Girl 105, Video Joe 110, Jimson, Jr., 108, Clemente 112, Fire Watch 111, xCole Fallon 106, The Delta 108, xDra Bell Rockaway 112.

SECOND RACE—Four yearolds, claiming, six furlongs, $800 (1:8): Finnish 105, Whitsun 106, xPower Bride 106, Sun Wind 107, Bedford 111, xMichanick 106, xText Builder 106, Gen. Clinton 111, Antonelli 111, King of Arms 115, xAndrew 106, Sun Dance 111, xTrapp 108, North Horse 111, Chapeau 111, Video Girl 106, Play 110, Imperator 111.

THIRD RACE—Four-year-olds, claiming $850, five and one-half furlongs (1:8): Abolitionist 107, Pleasure Bound 107, Sir Jacobite 102, Lanier 115, xMr. Betty 107, xpatsy Ann 107, Our Sweetheart 107, xMr. Shore 107, Our Sweetheart 107, xMr. Shore 107, Hazel Benson 112, Hazel Bound 107, Explicit 107, Stepped On 110, xMr. Button 115, Dixie Bo 115, xThanefield 105.

FOURTH RACE—Two-year-olds, filly, The Lassie 107, Showspirit 107, Sweet Sue 107, six-and-half furlongs (1:2): xJoreblone D. 102, Thunderbolt 107, Triumphant 107, Flashy Lass 109, Shuffle Again 109, Bobbin Lass 109, Our Alone 112.

xMrs. E. Denamark entry.

FIFTH RACE—Three-year-olds and up, the Prados, claiming, $800, five and one-half furlongs (1:8): Sir Jacobite 107, Lanier 107, Sir Bard 112, Hazel Bound 107, xMission 110, Toni 112, xAmerican Flash 110, Sun Lyan 107, xMr. Shore 107, Cinder 115.

SIXTH RACE—Three-year-old, claiming, $800, one mile and 50 yards (1:47): Rock Sand 107, Prince Star 104, Sir Bard 107, Bedford Saint 111, xPrefatiner 106, Stylish Chick 111, xChehalis Girl 105, Video Joe 110, Jimson, Jr., 108, Clemente 112, Fire Watch 111, xCole Fallon 106, The Delta 108, xDra Bell Rockaway 112.

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SEVENTH RACE—One mile, steeplechase, $900, claiming, four-year-olds and up (1:42): xLady Dear 105, Grand Son 109, Lee 109, Lee II, xSpender Pete 109, Blaze III, Yachtsman 113, xMarine 111, xPromise 111, xDunthorne 108, xGrevelton 108, xForth of Tay 108, Amerinda 116, xTurf King 108, Vernon 113, xMary Mc-Gregor 108, xRed Banner 108, xLog Chief 103, Dunlot 108.

xApprentice allowance claimed.

Weather cloudy, track heavy.

FRYING PAN INTO FIRE

FRANK CARIDEO keeps busier than a bird dog in a briar patch. With the football season over, Notre Dame's great All-America quarterback jumped right out of his football togs into basketball regalia.

Quinn Outbid Millionaire Indian Owner for Ruel

By JOE CASHMAN

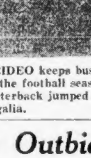
Bob Quinn's refusal to ever make public the salaries he pays to or the prices he pays for his ball players has caused a widespread impression that the Red Sox "penny" hasn't one much money as most of his fellow magnates and that he is constantly being outbid for the services of good material.

We don't know the state of Quinn's bankroll or whether he has ever failed to get a player he wanted because he lacked the cash.

We do know, though, that on occasions he has outbid the other fellow and secured what he wanted.

He did that not later than last Monday when he purchased Harold "Muddy" Ruel, veteran catcher, from the Washington senators.

Bob didn't say what he paid for Ruel, and never even hinted that he had to make a better offer than a rival magnate to get him, but this is admitted in Cleveland.



Joe Cashman

Peckinpaugh will take a small army of promising rookie hurlers south next spring and a smart, experienced catcher like Ruel would prove invaluable to him in handling those kids.

Yet, Quinn outbid Alva Bradley, multi-millionaire owner of the Cleveland franchise, for Ruel, so he must have paid plenty.

Cleveland critics can't understand the deal, at all. They insist that the Indians need Ruel much more than the Sox and should have been allowed to get him.

There are several players on the Cleveland club, they insist, who would be of more help to the Sox than Ruel, and Quinn should take advantage of this opportunity to strengthen his outfit.

Quinn, no doubt, would trade Ruel to Cleveland or any other club if he thought he could strengthen the Sox by doing it, but if the Indian management wouldn't outbid him for Ruel's services, it's certain logically that it would be willing to give him players worth as much to the natives as the catcher figures to be for next season.

What probably happened in this deal was that Cleveland figured that any offer it made would be better than any the Red Sox could possibly make and before it realized its mistake, Ruel was on his way to Boston.

Indians Wanted to Get Ruel

The Indians wanted Ruel and wanted him badly. Manager Roger

Offered McCarthy More Than Yanks

And you can bet that that wasn't the first time Quinn offered more than a rival for somebody he wanted.

He offered to give Joe McCarthy more money than the Yanks would when he sought that former Cub pilot to manage the Sox next season.

Just because he doesn't let the world in on his business is no indication that he is running his club on a shoe string.

He is plenty chic to hold his own in baseball auction and he gets most of the players he goes after.

That he hasn't been successful in building up a winning club is not because he hasn't spent enough money but because he hasn't, as yet, been lucky enough to get his money's worth.

But he isn't discouraged. He is just as determined to put the Holy back on the baseball map today as when he first came here seven years back.

And, if he gets a few of the breaks, he is almost sure to eventually succeed.

Basketball Results

C. C. N. Y. 31, Harvard 12.
Columbia 48, Williams 36.
De Paum 30, Cincinnati 21.
Holy Cross 42, Middlebury 23.
Illinois 46, Miami 17.
Navy 38, Western Maryland 22.
Xavier 34, Georgetown (Ky.) 29.

NEIGHBOR ASKS AID FOR EIGHT CHILDREN

A family of eight children in a Boston suburb are unable to attend church due to the lack of shoes and clothing.

A neighbor has written to the Helping Hand Department of the Boston Evening American that the destitute family has refrained from asking help of anyone even though the oldest, a boy of 19, is sick in bed.

The children range in ages from 10 to 19 years. Each one is in urgent need of warm clothing. Anyone wishing to help them can obtain the address by calling the Helping Hand Department at Liberty 4000 and referring to Case 139.

A GOOD SAMARITAN
(Refer to Case 139)

I am writing to ask you if you can help a very needy family who have had hard luck for years due to sickness and death. There are eight children in the family and they cannot get to church on Sunday for the want of clothes. The mother has a hard time to make ends meet. They had no Thanksgiving dinner and I know they won't have one for Christmas unless your good work will help them. Any kind of clothes will be greatly appreciated.

This woman lives in Melrose. Anybody wishing to aid may call the Boston Evening American Helping Hand, Liberty 4000, and refer to Case 139.

MOTHER ASKS AID
(Refer to Case 140)

I am the mother of seven little children ranging from the ages of nine years to seven months' old and for their sake and happiness I am appealing to you for aid.

We are badly in need of everything, especially food, clothing and shoes. My husband is loafing for three months, and he says every day to find some work and it's all in vain. I have four little ones that go to school—two at home and one in the hospital. Soon I will be forced to keep them home from school as I have no money to buy them shoes and clothing.

This woman lives in Waltham. Anybody wishing to aid may call the Boston American Helping Hand, Liberty 4000, and refer to Case 140.

WIDOW ASKS AID
(Refer to Case 141)

I am writing to you to find out if you could give me a Christmas basket. I am a poor widow. I lost my husband three years ago. I am 65 years old. I have tried everywhere to get some work, but nobody wants you when you get old. I will have a very poor and lonely Christmas unless you can help me as I have no money or friends to help me. If you can send me a basket, God will bless you and I will thank you.

This woman lives in South Boston. Anybody wishing to aid may call the Boston American Helping Hand, Liberty 4000, and refer to Case 141.

GIRL WANTS BASKET
(Refer to Case 142)

I am writing to you to tell you that I would like a Christmas basket. My father does not work. Please send it to me. We are 18 in the family; if you do not believe me come over and see. Please send clothes and do not forget me. I will be waiting for you. Please do not forget.

This girl lives in Boston. Anyone wishing to a may call the Boston American Helping Hand, Liberty 4000, and refer to Case 142.

GOOD GOLF

By CHESTER HORTON
Golf's Greatest Teacher

If, as have pointed out, equal hand pressure in the swing implies that the left hand's job is to hang onto the shaft and the work of the right hand is to hit, how is that to be brought about? The answer is, it brings itself about. This is the crux of the whole thing and while sometimes your own effort to make you do exactly what they would do of themselves if you allowed them to, that causes some of your golfing troubles. I am convinced that the best practice is to let your hands work as involuntary muscles, which means, of course, that the wrists work the same way. Hands and wrists in these discussions are one and the same thing. Your right hand will come right back where it belongs involuntarily set to hit. But if you try to make it hit you get into trouble. The swing therefore, begins with a firm soft hand grip and a light right-hand hold. Thereafter, leave your right hand alone.

Get a good piece of real estate, buy it wisely, pay for it, keep it, and later it will keep you. See the sound values listed today in the real estate columns of the Classified Ads.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES PLANNED

TREMONT TEMPLE

An early and cordial invitation for Christmas services has been sent out by Tremont Temple. In the morning Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher has chosen for his sermon theme "Choosing a Name for the Child," and in the evening "How to Have a Merry Christmas Every Day." A noon program by the men's Bible class; 5:30 a gathering of the Christian Endeavor Society; 8:45 a baptismal service. The special musical features will be presented by soloist, Mrs. Helen Westgate Lamson; violinist, Charles Starns; male quartet, including Messrs. Norman Corwin, Charles Ellis, H. Nelson Raymond and Arthur Morse; and chorus choir under the direction of Eustace B. Rice.

FOREIGN STUDENTS WELCOME

Foreign students attending colleges in and about Boston will be the guests of the Guild of St. Francis Xavier of the Church of the Advent, Brimmer st., on Monday evening. For several years this missionary guild has extended an invitation to its foreign friends at Christmas. Young men and women from almost every country of Europe and Asia have met together and found a welcome far from their own homes from members of this church.

ARMY AND NAVY Y. M. C. A. WILL BE AT ST. PAUL'S

Buses have been engaged to bring members of the Army and Navy Ys from Charlestown tomorrow evening to the Cathedral of St. Paul on Tremont st. There will be a special Army and Navy service.

The choir, under the direction of Mr. A. W. Phelps, choirmaster, will open the service at 7:15. Miss Louise Serna, violinist, will take part and familiar old-time hymns and Christmas carols will be sung. Mr. Peck will deliver the sermon. He has chosen "Doubting Thomas" as the subject of his talk.

Officers and sailors of the United States Navy are especially invited to take part in this service.

WOMEN'S THIRD ORDER

Sunday, Dec. 21, will be the regular meeting day for the women members of the Third Order of St. Francis, services being held at 3:30 p.m. in the Friary chapel in Brookline consisting of rosary, sermon and benediction by the Rev. Fr. Lucien Gallagher, O. F. M., spiritual director. Instruction for novices will be at 3 p. m., one half hour before services.

CATHOLIC CLUB

The Ladies' Catholic Club of Boston will hold its annual Christmas tree exercises for the children in its settlement house on Saturday, December 20. The kindergarten in the morning at 10:30 and older children in the evening at 8 o'clock.

Articles of clothing, toys and candy will be distributed.

"EUCHARISTIC HEART"

The December meeting of the Guild of the Eucharistic Heart is to be omitted.

At a meeting of the board of directors, with the approval of Mother Louise and the reverend chaplain, it was decided that the regular meeting of the guild, held on the third Sunday of each month, should be omitted for December.

The next meeting will be held at the convent, 891 Massachusetts ave., Boston, on Sunday, January 18, 1931.

VEDANTA CENTRE
32 Fenway, Boston

During the absence of Swami Paramananda in California, Gayatri Devi will be in charge of the Vedanta Centre in Boston. She will conduct the Christmas Eve service and speak on the "Spirit of Love." She will touch upon the heart of Christ in its universal love and tolerance, which knows no distinction of country or creed. The Vedanta Centre has been noted for its beautiful service at this season and it is announced as very impressive to see the spirit of Christmas conveyed through the mouthpiece of the East.

CATHEDRAL OF HOLY CROSS

A splendid service of song and organ music has been arranged by the choir of the Cathedral of the Holy Cross on Washington st. for midnight mass, for Christmas morning, and for Christmas evening.

A midnight mass will be sung by the Cathedral High School Choral society, organist, Prof. Philip Ferraro. At the 10 o'clock service Christmas morning solemn Pontifical mass, Sanctuary choir under direction of the Rev. William B Foley and Prof. Ferraro. Four o'clock Rosary and Benediction of the Holy Sacrament. Music by the Cathedral girls' choir, under the direction of the Sisters of St. Joseph.

DUDLEY STREET BAPTIST

Music instrumental and vocal will distinguish both morning and evening services at Dudley Street Baptist Church tomorrow. Junior and senior choirs will be heard in carols and sacred numbers. Also the Concorde male quartet has prepared its share of the program.

CHRISTMAS AT THE ADVENT

One of the features year by year of the Christmas Eve service at the Church of the Advent, Brimmer st., is the singing of carols. "While Shepherds Watched" by Hans Jungst, "Jesu, Thou Holy Divine," the traditional cradle song of Haydi, set to music by Clarence Dinsmore, the Croatian Christmas Carol, "O'er Wintry Hills" by Max Reger an ancient carol "Today is born Immanuel" by Michael Praetorius, and an anthem "In Praesepio" by Margaret Ruthven Lang, a Boston woman who is a member of the Advent.

BAPTIST MINISTERS

Next Monday, 10:45 a. m. in Chipman Hall, Tremont Temple, the Rev. George L. Paine will address the Baptist Ministers Conference, taking for his subject "The Good and the Bad in the Soviet Regime in Russia."

ARLINGTON ST. CHURCH
Special Music

Chorus Choir, Thompson Stone, director
Organ Prelude, "Rhapsodie sur les Noels" ..... Gigout
Anthems, "Born Today" ..... Sweelinck
"Before the Paling of the Stars" ..... Dale
Offertory, two French carols:
"A Joyous Christmas Song" ..... Gaynert
"The Sleep of the Child" ..... Gynett
"When the Sun Had Sunk to Rest" ..... Traditional English
Choir Chant, "Lo How a Rose e're blooming" ..... Praetorius
Postlude, "How Lovely Shines the Morning Star" ..... Karg-Elert

COMMUNITY CHURCH

A special musical program has been arranged for tomorrow morning by Arthur Fiedler of the Boston Sinfonietta. This musician has become well known as a figure in Boston musical circles since his successful leadership, last spring, of the Pop Concert and open air concerts on the Esplanade during the summer. An organ recital by Margaret Gorham Clasby will precede the opening service at 10:30.

THIRD ORDER TO MEET

A general meeting of men and women members of the Third Order of St. Francis will be held in St. Leonard's church, Prince st., Boston, on Christmas day evening at 7:30.

OLD SOUTH FORUM

"What Ghandi Wants" is to be the subject and Syud Hossain of India, the speaker at the Old South Meeting House Forum tomorrow afternoon, Dec. 21.

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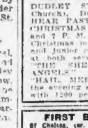

Tremont Temple
"Church of Good Cheer"
DR. BROUGHER
We wish you a "Merry Christmas"

CHRIST'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED
10:30 A. M.—Morning Service for the child. 12 noon—Public School Christmas Exercises. 5:30 P. M.—Christian Endeavor Society. 8:45 p. m.—Beautiful Christmas Service. Solos by Popular Christmas Evening Sermon. Fine Christmas Music Both services. Solos by Miss Ruth Bowen, Charles Starns, Male Quartet, Mixed Chorus, Raymond Mowe, Chorus Choir. E. B. Rice, director.

The Singing Church

DUDLEY ST. BAPTIST (Singing Church), Dudley at Dale, (Ry. 83 station). HEAR PASTOR BROOKS GREAT CHRISTMAS SERVICES TODAY, 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Wonderful program of Christmas music by quartets, choir and junior choruses of 125. Soloists and male quartet. Morning sermon, "THE SHEPHERDS AND THE CHRIST." EVENING SERVICE, "HAIL, MERRY CHRISTMAS." At the evening service we come sing carols with 1200 people.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

of Chelsea, 11 Chester St.
10:30 A. M.—"The Gems Around the Cradle of Jesus." Rev. Harold Marble, pastor.
7:00 P. M.—A special colorful Christmas program. Carols sung by the congregation followed by a stupendous pageant with 50 people in cast. The robed choir will render special Christmas music.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Commonwealth Ave at Charles St. 10:30 A. M. Bible School. 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Pastor's morning and evening preaching. Dr. HAROLD MARBLE Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL

Park St Church
(PARK AND TREMONT STS.)
DR. CONRAD Preaching
10:30 A. M.
Special Christmas Services
"Behold There Came Wise Men"

HARD TIMES TO DRIVE MEN TO GOD

The Rev. Vaughan Dabney of the Second Church, Dorchester, preached his tenth anniversary sermon this past week, taking for his theme:

"We Are on the Verge of a Religious Revival."

Dr. Dabney declared:

"A revival not of an artificial, transitory and sectarian emotionalism, but of a comprehensive religious faith that will stir the mind, heart and will. This coming era of faith will be brought about by the turning of science from a mechanistic to a spiritual interpretation of the universe by statesmen who see that only religion can save the world, and by ardent church leaders and the younger generation. The speaker said that no one knew what form this revival would take, but it should result in bringing the various creeds into a closer understanding. Public worship and private prayer will be revived and a fresh era of social service will emerge.

"The past 10 years might be called the decade of descent from the peak of war emotionalism to the valley of doubt and disillusionment. The next decade may be thought of as a decade of ascent to the higher ideals of sacrifice and love. Men are becoming wearied by things, and are turning from excitement and pleasure to seek the vital air of faith. Hard times will drive us to God."

Dr. Dabney is the president of the Massachusetts Federation of Churches, as well as minister of the Second Church, Dorchester.

THE GROUP ROUND THE CRADLE

The Rev. Cleveland I. Wilson of the First Baptist Church, Chelsea, will preach tomorrow morning on those characters who gathered in the stable on that first Christmas morning.

Adult and intermediate choirs will render special music at the 10:50 service. In the evening a "Great Christmas Pageant." All invited.

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Mt. Vernon and Brimmer Streets

REV. JULIAN D. HAMLIN, Rector

Christmas Services

CHRISTMAS EVE

Solemn Evensong, Carols and Procession, 8 P. M.

CHRISTMAS DAY

Holy Communion, 7, 8, and 9 A. M.
Solemn High Mass and Sermon (Rector), 10:30 A. M.

SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS

Festival Services and Carols at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.
Children's Festival at 4 P. M.

O Come Let Us Adore Him!

CHURCHES

Knows Palestine

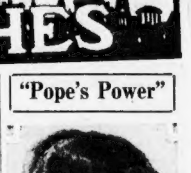
Mr. Joseph C. Hyman will address, tomorrow evening, the Kehillath Israel Brotherhood, Brookline, Mass.

Brotherhood to Hear Wyman

Mr. Joseph C. Hyman of New York City will talk tomorrow evening on "The Situation of the Jews in Eastern Europe." A large outpouring of the congregation is expected at the temple at 8 p. m. There will also be a musical program.

This is a Chanukay get together in the vestry. Mr. Hyman is secretary of the American Jewish Joint Distribution committee, which during the last 15 years has distributed $100,000,000 raised in this country. As secretary of the American Administrative committee of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, he is said to be conversant with the work that is being done by that body for the re-establishment of the Jewish National State.

"Pope's Power"



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COMMON CAUSE

Prof. Francis J. Roland, teacher of history and government in the Boston Latin school, will address the Common Cause Forum Sunday night in Franklin Union Hall, corner Berkeley and Appleton sts.

The temporal power of the popes will be the subject up for discussion. Prof. Roland will deal with the subject from a legal and historical standpoint, giving its status in law, the conditions that brought it about and the part it played in the development and conflicts of a thousand years. This associate master of the Latin school is a practicing lawyer. [illegible] Roland's [illegible] Massachusetts Bar Association, a University Club [illegible] of Boston, the Harvard [illegible] lic Order of Foresters [illegible] Knights of Columbus [illegible] is active in the evening's "Great Christmas Pageant." All invited.

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UNION CHURCH

"The Manger Throne" is the title used by Charles D. Mayo [illegible] tomorrow morning [illegible] with special features by the Choir [illegible] Dr. Mayo [illegible] Dr. Lyman announced [illegible] Philosophers Guild [illegible] Philosophers Guild [illegible] Philosophers Guild

PORT OF BOSTON IN REVIEW

By JAMES J. DELANEY

Mackerel scarcity on the fishing grounds has caused the netting fleet that bring the surface water fish into the Boston Fish Pier to abandon hopes and turn their attentions to bottom or ground fishing.

Mackerel netters report that recent weather has brought about almost the elimination of mackerel on the grounds.

Improved weather conditions were apparent, however, in the increased receipts of ground fish which were seen in the returns of 21 vessels that reported, yesterday.

WEATHER DELAY

Activity caused by adverse weather was reported in a message from the S. S. Merican, Leyland Line, due here from Liverpool and Manchester, which will arrive tonight. The message reached the International Mercantile Marine Co.

PROPELLER BENT

Flanges of the propeller of the M. S. Primero, Norwegian, were found to be twisted as if they had collided with some submerged object, structure or when she was lifted into the floating drydock of the Simpson plant of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corp. at East Boston. She arrived here a few days ago from British Columbia ports, including lumber at the Wiggin terminal, Charlestown. The tail shaft will be drawn for inspection.

BERMUDA BOUND

Bostonians booked to sail on the M. S. Bermuda, Furness-Bermuda line, are Mrs. James J. Storrow, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Howie and Joyce Walton, who will be her house guests at the Mid-Ocean Club. Polly Beale, popular post debutante; Frederick Winsor, principal of Middlesex School for girls, Concord, with Mrs. Winsor; Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. H. St. White and Mary Phinney were other Bostonians booked.

WARMER CLIME

Christmas in Haiti and New Year's in Havana is the schedule arranged for a 16-day West Indies cruise on the new S. S. Fayette, French Line, which leaves today. Three Boston passengers due to sail are Lincoln Stoddard, Chapin Riley and Fred Simmons.

"SHOWBOAT" RESALE

Second auction sale of the vessel Showboat, which once was used as a "floating night club," will be held today. The United States District Court failed to confirm a sale to Maxwell Harris, shipbroker, for $1345. Showboat was the former schooner Cora F. Cressey. It has a 25000 square feet dance floor; 250 feet promenade deck and a dining room which seats 600.

FISH ARRIVALS

Vessels	Haddock	Cod	Mixed
Mr. Foam	11,000	2,000	1,000
Georgetown	18,000	1,000	1,000
Marietta B.	21,000	1,500	3,000
Isabelle Parker	45,000	15,000	18,000
Corinthian	21,000	200	600
North Star	20,000	300	1,700
Chas. M. Fauci	1,200	1,300	2,500
Funchal	2,500	100	900
Alpar	8,000	2,000	6,500
Marjie Parker	9,000	3,000	500
Adventure	30,000	7,000	13,000
Kilarney	45,000	8,000	11,000
Manhattan, 200 shutters.			
Cusk—Purchased 500; Alpar 1000; Marjorie Parker 4000; Adventure 4000; Kilarney 2000.			
Small draggers—Massasoit 10,000 yt.; Anna Gunning 2200 mixed; Mary G. 3600; Ann Theresa 1500; Leonardo 4000.			
Late arrival—Old Glory, 4000 haddock, 300 cod, 2200 mixed.			

Wholesale dealers' prices—Large codfish 7-8c lb., mike, 5-6; haddock 4¼-7½; pollock 3½-4½; hake 5-6; cusk 4½-5½; cusk sounds mike 10½-11½; sounds 9-10; flounders 4½-7½.

ARRIVALS

GLOUCESTER, Bunting, Philadelphia, with merchandise to Merchants & Miners Transportation Co., Commercial st. pier 3.

YARMOUTH, Crosby, Yarmouth, N. S., with merchandise and passengers to Eastern S. S. Lines, Inc., Commercial st. pier.

CASTILIAN, PRINCE (Br.), and STEEL RANGER, which arrived below quarantine, came up this morning, berthing at pier 50 Mystic and at the Wiggin Terminal.

HARRY F. KEZLER (tug), Baker New York, towing barges Anna and Reptile, from Edgewater. Passed Deer Island Light, 6:45 p. m.

GEORGE WASHINGTON, McDonough, New York, with merchandise and passengers to Eastern S. S. Lines, Inc., Dorland st. Inland Wharf.

SAILINGS

CONFIDENCE (tug), and JUNO (tug), Beverly for sand; and HELEN BLAKEFRINGE to sea and JUNO will return with barge Confidence.

ALLEGHANY, for Norfolk, and Baltimore; CITY OF ST. LOUIS, for Savannah via New York; GEORGE WASHINGTON, New York; GLOUCESTER, Philadelphia; GYPSUM EMPRESS (Br.), should be GYPSUM QUEEN (Br.), Windsor, N. S.; MISSOURIAN, Philadelphia, San Francisco, etc.; PRINCE ROBERT (Br.), Bermuda, Jamaica and Havana; WEST ARROW, Rotterdam via Philadelphia; Norfolk and Baltimore; WEST CALUMA, Montevideo, and Buenos Aires via Philadelphia and New York leave today.

DUE TODAY

ALASKAN, San Francisco etc. via New York and Philadelphia 11 a. m., Dec. 9; Panama Canal, Commercial pier.

COELIEDA, Baltimore and Norfolk to finish loading for Liverpool and Manchester (was 375 miles south of Boston noon yesterday. Docks pier 3, East Boston.

HAROLD WALKER, Arube, Dec. 13, wireless arrives midnight and docks at Chelsea noon Sunday. (Was reported 727 miles south of Hatteras.) Docks Chelsea.

MERICAN (Br.), Liverpool, Dec. 8, wireless arrives pilot station 9:30 p. m. Docks Sunday at pier 4, East Boston.

MONDOCINO, Bremen, Dec. 8, Dec. 18, docks Monday at Liverpool wharf.

STEVAN SIMONOVICH, Puerto Rico, Providence; docks East Boston.

TRANSYLVANIA, Freeport News, 9 Dec. 16, docks Monday Mystic wharf.

Two Men Injured in Mystery Crash

Two men were injured, one seriously, in a mysterious automobile accident on Washington st., near Grigga rd., Brookline, shortly before 5 o'clock today.

The victims, one of whom was pronounced drunk and is still in the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, have been unable to throw any light on the accident. They are said to be Michael F. Murphy of Coffee st. and Maurice Murphy of P. Healey of Davis pl., Roxbury. Both were found in the street. Healey and police he and Murphy had been given a ride by an unknown driver.

Cycle Officer Hurt in Auto Accident

Motorcycle Officer Walter Waite of the Back Bay police station, yesterday, while operating his motorcycle along Massachusetts ave., at Commonwealth ave., was thrown from his machine when it was struck by an automobile operated by Hugh J. Maguire of Wood st., Lexington.

THE WEATHER

For Boston and vicinity—Fair tonight and Sunday; slightly colder tonight; moderate westerly winds.

The minimum temperature tonight will be 20 to 25.

For Southern New England—Partly and slightly colder tonight; Sunday partly cloudy; fresh west winds.

For Northern New England—Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday; slightly colder tonight and in Maine on Sunday; fresh west winds.

For Eastern New York—Fair, slightly colder tonight; Sunday increasing cloudiness, slightly colder in east and north portions; fresh west winds.

OBSERVATIONS IN BOSTON AT 8 A. M.

Barometer	29.76 inches
Temperature	36 degrees
Maximum temperature yesterday	44 deg
Minimum temperature last night	35 deg
Humidity	81 per cent
Wind	West, four miles per hour
Precipitation previous 24 hours	.39 inches

Temperatures—

Stations	8 a.m. yester-	Mn. Min. Weather today
Atlantic City	52	44 32 Clear
Atlanta (Ga.)	54	46 30 Clear
Buffalo	38	38 28 Cloudy
Calgary	32	34 22 Clear
Charleston (S. C.)	58	46 38 Cloudy
Chicago	38	38 30 Cloudy
Cincinnati	46	42 28 Clear
Denver	36	36 22 Clear
Eastport (Me.)	36	40 34 Rain
Helena (Mont.)	36	34 28 Cloudy
Huron (S. D.)	34	34 24 Cloudy
Jacksonville	64	58 44 Cloudy
Kansas City (Mo.)	46	44 30 Cloudy
Key West	68	66 60 Clear
Los Angeles	64	66 50 Clear
Memphis	56	54 36 Clear
Miami, Fla.	74	72 62 Cloudy
Nantucket	38	38 32 Rain
Nantucket	36	38 32 Rain
New York	44	44 34 Cloudy
Norfolk	54	52 36 Cloudy
North Platte, Neb.	34	34 22 Clear
Philadelphia	48	46 32 Clear
Pittsburgh	42	38 32 Cloudy
Portland, Me.	36	38 32 Rain
Raleigh	54	52 32 P. cldy
St. Louis	40	38 30 Clear
St. Paul	18	26 14 Snow
Salt Lake City	36	38 26 Clear
San Francisco	56	58 48 Clear
Santa Fe, N. M.	36	38 22 Clear
Seattle	42	44 40 Rain
Tampa	68	66 52 Clear
Washington	54	48 30 Clear
Williston, N. D.	10	20 10 Cloudy

OCEAN FORECAST

Steamers departing today for European ports will have fresh west winds, probably overcast weather to the Grand Banks.

CALENDAR FOR SATURDAY, DEC. 20 (Eastern Standard Time)

High tide	11:31 a. m., 11:50 p. m.
Ht. of tide	10ft. 3in., a.m.; 8ft. 8in., p.m.
Sun rises	7:09 a. m.
Sun sets	4:14 p. m.
Length of day	9 hrs. 5 min.
Moon rises	0:17 p. m.
Moon sets	4:29 a. m.
First qr.	Dec. 27, 10h. 58m., evening.
Full moon	Jan. 4, 8h. 13m., evening.
Last qr.	Jan. 11, 6h. morning.
New moon	Jan. 18, 7h. 39m., morning.

Light all vehicles tonight at 4:41 o'clock.

Street Flooded as Cab Breaks Hydrant

A taxicab struck a hydrant at Traverse and Portland sts., early today, breaking off the hydrant near the base, and allowing hundreds of gallons of water to flow into the street.

A hurried call was sent to the Hanover st. police station, and the water department was notified. After some time the water was stopped, but not until water had flowed into cellars in Portland st.

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LOST—Florentine silver antique serving, Count St. and Jordan Marsh; Charlestown 1765-W.

LOST—White fold Bulova wrist watch, Tuesday. Huntington Ave.; reward. Commonwealth 8100.

LOST—Black suit case, sidewalk across from eye and ear hospital, Charles st., Saturday. Reward. Jackson 1585-J.

LOST—Male, white Eskimo spitz, Bunker in Campridge. Reward. Tel. 0070-M.

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BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN

LARGEST EVENING
CIRCULATION IN NEW ENGLAND

Wonders, Strange and True

Nudity Is Ugly, Our Earth and Race Must Die

BACK TO NATURE

A SHAMAN PRIEST, DEVIL FIGHTER

The pictures above illustrate the strangeness of human thought. On the left is a German gentleman who believes in "going back to nature," says the human form is divine and should not be concealed.

We disagree with him, in his case at least, emphatically.

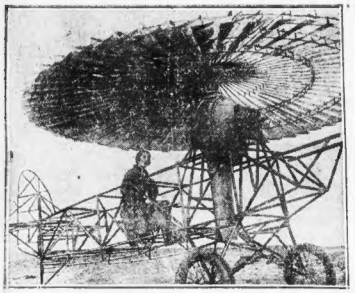
A complete set of overalls would improve him considerably.

On the right is a Shaman priest, whose belief in witchcraft, devils, etc., directs the religious thought of tribes in cold Siberia.

To make room in this short column we had to cut this distinguished gentleman off short. Bells ring when he dances. He has hen's feathers fastened around his waist and wears a hideous mask.

He says to his deluded believers: "The air around you is full of devils, evil spirits, seeking to drag you down. But leave all to me; I know how to frighten them."

They believe and pay, and the gentleman with bells and chicken feathers lives in comfort.



TO SOLVE FLYING—MAYBE

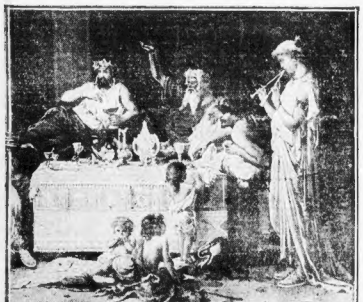
Consider also what is said to be the latest thing in flying machines built helicopter fashion. Revolving blades above the girl pilot lift the machine straight up from the earth and allow it to come straight down. With such a machine you could land on the roof of an office building and, after work, come safely down in your own front yard.

When the lady wants the machine to go forward she tilts the revolving blades forward, so that they look like an umbrella held in front of her.

Anything is possible, but we don't guarantee this.

Study carefully the picture of the great Lucullus trying to enjoy the fruits of his victory.

You see him in his magnificent palace in Rome, with finest wines, the finest fruits and delicacies of all kinds. A beautiful maiden plays on a queer double flute for his entertainment.



LUCULLUS, CONQUEROR OF ASIA, HE CAUSED CAESAR TO GO TO GAUL

Behind him a philosopher from Greece, now conquered and servile, spouts philosophy, which is rather empty when a nation has lost its liberty.

This Lucullus, whom we all remember as a self-indulgent "high liver," was perhaps, with one exception, the greatest general of ancient times. His conquests in Asia filled Caesar with

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HIS FILLING STATION -:- -:-

By NELSON HARDING

Here's a needed filling station
With attendant Santa Claus.
Here's a stocking that needs filling
For a very worthy cause.

Practical, these Xmas presents,
They mean jobs for jobless men.
Put a coupon in the stocking—
Better still, put five or ten.

Listen, World! -:- Youth

By ELSIE ROBINSON

Young Generation Must Be Served

THE YOUNGSTERS were pouring out of the stadium as I came down the hill. Football game between the two biggest high schools. Thousands of boys and girls on foot and in cars—laughing, shrieking, pummeling each other, crazy with excitement.

Splendid kids! A great sight! The road was jammed with them, and they refused to move for the traffic that piled up on either side, on the main highway. So the grinning cops gave them the right of way, motioning the rest of us into a detour that meant a circle of four blocks before we could hit the boulevard again.

Elsie Robinson

Patiently, good naturedly, we adults turned aside. Trucks, laundry and delivery wagons, private cars, off the highway we turned, adding long blocks and minutes to our crowded schedules without a protest. And, with never a thought of the inconvenience they had caused, the youngsters pre-empted that boulevard for the next half-hour.

They didn't even notice that the rest of us had to detour—that only kid cars were free to pass. Why should they? This was a regular occurrence. It happened two or three times a week during the football season. They expected it to happen. They would have been astonished and outraged if it hadn't happened. For, since they could remember, YOUTH HAD THE RIGHT OF WAY.

"YOUTH MUST BE SERVED" runs the old proverb. Youth must be served that the next generation may be wiser, braver, more powerful. That's right. And we Americans have accepted that policy enthusiastically. We're putting in a 24-hour day serving our Youth. But aren't we carrying such service to dangerous extremes?

Should Mother make her old coat do a third season so young Bessie may have that new fur jacquette?

Should Dad put another plaster on the home so that young Sam can belong to a college fraternity?

Do such sacrifices really serve Youth—or do they give it a distorted sense of its own importance—do they increase its silliness and selfishness and arrogance?

And if you make Youth feel it's the Whole Show . . .

If you turn it loose into life as ignorant as a savage of civilized relationship . . .

When then?

Is that SERVING Youth or is it CRIPPLING Youth?

Serve Youth that Youth may, in its turn, know the pride and joy of service.

Serve Youth that way, and Youth will repay your service. But let Youth run hog wild and some day it will turn on you and curse you for keeping it a weakling. And you'll deserve the curses!

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What Do You Know?

BOSTON'S ORIGINAL KNOWLEDGE TEST

Do you know:

1. What is the metropolis of Maine?
2. What heroine of poetry was called the "Lily Maid of Astolat?"
3. What river connects Lake Champlain with the Lawrence?
4. Who wrote "Paul Revere's Ride?"
5. Where did Mr. Coolidge take his oath of office as President?

Fill each blank:

6. Many stars can be seen through a ——.
7. —— is called the "Mother of Presidents."
8. The phrase "A Daniel come to judgment" is used in the play ——.
9. Rip van Winkle made his famous sleep in the —— Mountains.
10. Long —— is a famous Summer resort in New Jersey.

Match correctly:

11. survive	meaning	
12. observant	outlive	
13. significance	kind	
14. reluctant	attentive	
15. benignant	unwilling	

Answers to today's test:

1. Portland. 2. Elsine. 3. Richelieu. 4. Henry W. Longfellow. 5. Plymouth, Vermont. 6. Telescope. 7. Virginia. 8. The Merchant of Venice. 9. Catskill. 10. Branch. 11. Outlive. 12. Attentive. 13. Meaning. 14. Unwilling. 15. Kind.

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New York Day by Day

By O. O. McINTYRE

One Must Simper at Afternoon Teas

NEW YORK, Dec. 20—All I've ever been able to do at an afternoon tea is squat in an obscure corner and look grinnier than usual. While others are cooing and twittering I watch for a neat opening to take it on the lam. I despise teas, but now and then one has to go.

Yesterday provided one of the unhappy afternoons. Long ago I realized to be a card at such carryings-on one must simper. So all morning I practiced simpering before a mirror, revamped a few Oscar Wilde mots and brushed up holding a tea-cup archly with the little finger skyward.

One particular smirk I worked up into something that seemed to me perfectly dandy. It was, if you know what I mean, distingue. Few would grasp its significance at a glance. Only a twitch to the right eyebrow—only a twitch, but it would get you, girls!

Irvin Cobb, who is turning out a novel two floors above, dropped in during rehearsals. He has attempted some single-handed tea smirking in his time so I sought his critical opinion. He was politely attentive and when I smirked my favorite I inquired: "Isn't it a beaut?"

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Right off I spotted a shade of jealousy. Nothing on the surface, you understand, but deep underneath a hesitancy.

In fact, I offered them and there to give him two smirks advantage and smirk him three sets, winner take all.

A grimace, indeed! Grimacers will always throw cold water on the efforts of a finished smirker. Failing to out-smirk, they resort to jeering. Also, if I cared to be nasty, there was a 50-cent gift cigar on my desk that disappeared when Mr. Cobb left.

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Anyway, as is my wont, I arrived at the tea early. When I zinged the front bell two hired butlers in monkey coats were turning in the servant entrance. And why does a hostess meet a tea guest as though he might be an interloper? I go early because I don't care for cakes and truffles after they are mussed over. I like to start at scratch and nibbled the icing and goo-goos off a dozen small cakes, dropping the insides behind divan, before a half dozen people came.

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It is fascinating to watch a swarm of tea hounds suddenly pair off into little football huddles. A slight murmurous buzz swells into an incoherent roar. I horned into the most notable group, muffling my face before my hand to rehearse my smirk at intervals.

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Tea drinkers are namby-pamby talkers. After the first cocktail, one gentleman insisted Marilyn Miller ran away with her show. "Smiles," on opening night, but after the fourth admitted he was in Syracuse. A bereted flapper talking from her boots, a la Garbo, revealed a choice bit of salacious scandal in the movies, and a wrist-tapping cigarettist, speaking familiarly of J. P. Morgan as "Jack," told how stocks would presently skyrocket as never before. And so on.

It went like this for some time with no opportunity to present my smirk. Further delay was caused by a equally fellow suddenly overcome by a notion I was angry with him. I'll admit I was never passionately enamored but I held no particular grievance. I did not even object to him leaning all his weight on a shoulder and blatting: "Whuz I ever do t'you?"

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At length through some happy inspiration my group turned to the subject of newspaper columns, which is right up my pet alley, and I could feel my pet smirk struggling for expression. Someone turned to me for an opinion. I waited for full attention and let go my smirk with a bang. Once you release a smirk, you can't pull it back, so I know how Casey felt after his memorable strike-out. The smirk was a complete dud. And then it came over me all of a sudden the trouble. Everybody was cockeyed. Just another one of these teas and not a cup of tea in the place! For sale: One smirk—slightly tarnished.

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Clark's Fine Thoughts

Massachusetts Applauds Judge's Social Theories

Whatever the legal merits or deficiencies of Judge William Clark's decision against the prohibition amendment, the people of Massachusetts must derive immense satisfaction from his fine social philosophy, his independence and his eminent frankness.

Judge Clark is a product of Harvard College and it was in this State that he absorbed the theory of political liberality and observed the liberal workings of government institutions.

It is to be noted that Judge Clark upheld the inherent rights of the people to order their constitutional changes. It will be noted, too, his observation that constitutional conventions elected upon a small number of important issues give to the public a more responsively democratic service than a Legislature or a Congress, the members of which hide their weaknesses and duplicity under the volume of issues and programs that are put forward at the time of their quest of re-election.

Judge Clark no doubt had in mind the last Constitutional Convention of Massachusetts, which gave to this State the Initiative and Referendum and eighteen other amendments, all of them adopted by vote of the people. This is just the system which Judge Clark says should have prevailed in the matter of prohibition.

The New Jersey judge did not hesitate, in the spirit of independence too frequently non-existent among our jurists and lawmakers, to remind the Supreme Court of the United States that its own record is far from consistent.

And we will note further in his decision that he quoted liberally and affectionately from those two fine, liberal and progressive Massachusetts jurists, Holmes and Brandeis, without whom the national court might possibly have snapped away the few remaining rights left to the public.

Too Many Servants

They Run the Household

It is odd to hear a warning against engineering from an engineer. Yet a sharp warning is sounded by a noted member of the engineering profession, John Van Nostrand Dorr, a former associate of Thomas A. Edison.

Mr. Dorr tells the United States that "indiscriminate invention" and the dizzy production of new machines is one of the chief dangers faced by mankind today.

"We eventually become lost in the multiplicity of things," he says, "unless we do more than invent machines or processes. In saying this I may seem at odds with my profession, but I cannot believe only in the endless production of more and more material things. Unless this production-mad nation develops a higher civilization, it is bound to be enslaved by its own machinery."

Which is an interesting thought. We hear much about the labor-saving devices that are to benefit everybody, but we note that these same devices throw many men out of work and make life extremely complicated even for those that have work.

The United States has tried to make machines its servants, but finds that the servants are running the household, and not running it smoothly. And with singular logic, we are told by most of our wise men that the only remedy is more servants.

Population Tripled

In the Alcoholic Wards

Another triumph for prohibition—if you want to call it that—is recorded in the annual report of Dr. J. G. Gr[illegible], Commissioner of Hospitals in New York City.

The number of alcoholic cases admitted to the city hospitals has tripled in the last nine years.

In 1920 the number of alcoholic cases in these hospitals was 2091. In 1929 it was 7066.

In 1920 there were 449 women alcoholics. In 1929 there were 1071.

In fairness to prohibitionists, let us admit that New York has grown somewhat in the last nine years, and hence there was bound to be an increase in its alcoholics, as in the rest of the population.

New York, however, has not tripled its inhabitants. Only the beds in the alcoholic wards, and their occupants—that's all.

Wonders, Strange and True

(Continued From First Two Columns)

jealous ambition, so that he went conquering in Gaul to eclipse Lucullus.

You learn from this picture that there is no real happiness except in action.

Lucullus had a Greek slave girl—Ferrero tells about her—who probably had more real joy than Lucullus ever had. For, conquering the conqueror, she made him go through Greece, her native land, and restore cities and temples that had been destroyed.

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